One Thousand and Ten New Subscribers.

The Weather— Rain or snow tonight and tomorrow; colder.

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The Lima Daily News.

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Vol. 19, No. 15. LIMA, OHIO, WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 17, 1906. FOUR WEEKS 25 CENTS.

That New School Building Steal.

Pressure Should Be Brought to Bear to Have Action of School Board Reconsidered.

Tax Payers are at a Loss to Understand Why the Contract Was Let For $26,300 When a Contract of $21,200 Was Offered By Lima Architects.

ON LAST MONDAY EVENING AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION BIDS WERE RECEIVED FOR THE PROPOSED NEW EIGHT ROOM BUILDING TO BE LOCATED ON THE HIGH SCHOOL SITE.

ARCHITECT PACKARD, OF COLUMBUS, PRESENTED A BID OF TWENTY SIX THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS, WHILE LEECH AND LEECH, OF LIMA, PRESENTED A BID OF TWENTY ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR AN EIGHT ROOM BUILDING SIMILAR IN ARCHITECTURE TO THE GARFIELD BUILDING ON EAST HIGH STREET. NOTWITHSTANDING THAT THERE WAS A DIFFERENCE OF FIVE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN FAVOR OF LEECH & LEECH, THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AWARDED THE CONTRACT TO PACKARD & MATHEWS AT $26,300.

THE FOLLOWING GENTLEMEN VOTED IN FAVOR OF THE STEAL—MESSRS. STOLZENBACH, BANTA, CHURCHILL AND HERRETT, WHILE MESSRS. PENCE, CREPS AND UHL VOTED AGAINST THE PROPOSITION.

THE AFFAIR HAS CREATED NO END OF TALK AND CENSURE AND THERE IS SOME TALK OF A RECONSIDERATION AT A FUTURE MEETING.

IN CASE THE MATTER IS PERMITTED TO STAND AS IT IS INJUNCTION PROCEEDINGS WILL LIKELY BE STARTED IN THE COURTS.

Red Letter Day For the Daily News

Just One Thousand and Ten paid in advance New Subscriptions to the DAILY NEWS for Twenty-five days have been secured in the City of Lima and within the buying district.

Thus the DAILY NEWS smashes another record in the history of Newspaperdom of Lima and Allen County. First; Largest paper ever printed in Lima, 32 pages last June; Second, the greatest number of inches of advertising ever published in one regular Daily Edition, over 1200 inches during the Holidays; Third, having added 1010 New Subscribers in 25 days.

The Names of the NEWS, New Readers have been published from time to time. And in today's issue we present the list which places the total new ones at 1010.

J. M. McMonies, 123 south Metcalf
A. L. Llewellyn, 127 south Metcalf
J. W. McCarty, 128 south Metcalf
L. S. Burgone, 323 N. McDonald.
L. A. Norton, 938 S. Greenlawn.
W. B. Phillips, 129 S. West.
W. H. Luce, 940 Greenlawn.
W. L. Robson, west Spring.
Jacob Stemen, 810 Holmes.
J. F. Weber, R. R. 8.
J. L. Sheik, R. R. 1, Barnville, O
C. L. Bierly, Herring.
A. S. Baker, Cridersville.
T. H. Adams, Gremer.
M. E. Young, R. R. 2
R. M. Rousculp, R. R. 6.
O. W. Bell, 1056 W. Market.
Biddinger, 810 St. Johns.
A. H. Swisher, 341 east North.
Irvin Sims, 548 west Elm.
C. Cook, 329 Prospect.
C. A. Hover, 515 Jameson avenue
W. M. Brown, 868 east North.
W. M. Gutman, 520 N. Elizabeth.
Joe Levy, 818 west Elm.
R. E. Price, 1046 east Wayne.
W. D. Harrison, 120 South Cole.
G. W. King, 115 S. Jameson.
O. Olson, 127 S. Jameson.
S. A. Earnest, 835 W. Market.
Dr. Henson, 715 W. Market.
W. C. McElroy, R. R. 6.
E. C. Dyer, Norval.
W. H. Johnson, R. R. 1., Beaver Dam.
T. J. Curtis, R. R. 4.
A. P. Layman, R. R. 4.
D. S. Horn, R. R. 9.
J. S. Weaver, R. R. 6
A. F. Conrad, Bluffton, O.
Franklin Thomas, R. R. 2, Elida.
W. H. Logan, R. R. 9.
Owen Russell, R. R. 1., West Minster.
Chas. H. Isham, R. R. 3.
C. Long, R. R. 3, Harrod.
W. L. McKinney, West Minster
W. T. Pierce, Elida.
James Burket, R. R. 2., Herring
Chas. Alstetter, West Cairo.
W. J. Garner, West Cairo.
Geo. Marshall, R. R. 8.
J. F. Garner, R. R., West Cairo.
C. C. Culp, R. R. 3., Elida
G. M. Solomon, R. R. 8
W. A. Darrick, R. R. 3, Elida.
G. W. Mosier, R. R., Delphos.
E. E. Dupher, R. R. 1., West Cairo.
G. W. Franklin, R. R. 7.
Louis Harring, R. R. 2 Elida.
Henry Cremean, R. R. 2., Elida.
Adam Eame, R. R. 1., Bluffton.
Geo. Focht, R. R. 6.
Elmer E. Truesdale, R. R. 1.
J. A. Franklin, R. R. 9.
J. B. Driver, R. R. 8.
Isaac Miller, R. R. 1., Beaver Dam.
E. M. Umbauth, R. R. 3., Spencerville.
H. J. Marshell, R. R. 5.
J. T. Myers, R. R. 4.
C. H. Coon, R. R. 1., Spencerville.
C. F. Swartz, R. R. 2., Elida.
Albert Baechler, R. R. 4.
W. H. Smith, R. R. 2., Harrod.
A. Burr, R. R. 1, Conant.
H. B. Miller, R. R. 1, West Cairo
S. O. Mack, R. R. 8.
T. S. Hauthorn, R. R. 2.
Frank H. Brenneman, R. R, West Cairo.
Henry Swartz, R. R. 2., Elida.
Lou Hill, 603 east High.
J. Harrod, 322 McPherron.
S. H. Gibertson, 1209 S. Main.
W. H. Guyton, 29 Met. block.
S. W. Gross, 936 Boyer.
A. L. Fisher, 327 N. Pierce.
M. Fuckin, 31 Metrop. block.
J. Foote, 415 east Market.
S. M. Ettinger, 532 west Wayne.
Dan Eldridge, 535 N. Metcalf.
P. L. Ecke, 311 east Wayne.
H. Cole, 327 N. Elizabeth.
Laura Cunningham, 415 N West.
W. H. Crist, 408 N. Elizabeth.
W. E. Cowling, 414 W. Spring.
R. D. Clouser, 545 S. Main.
M. Clippinger, 292 east Market.
Carl Boegel, 430 N. Pierce.
E. Backman, 400 N. Main.
E. F. Barrington, 708 west Wayne.
Isaac Butler, 936 Reese.
J. Arbuthnot, 125 west Wayne.
Hughes, 100 west North.
Mrs. Stant, 159 north Main.
E. F. Myers, R. R. 1, West Cairo.
F. W. Burtham, R. R. 3, Spencerville.
O. J. Metzger, R. R. 3.
E. M. Fowler, R. R. 8.
Guy Cheney, R. R. 2.
Scott Neely, R. R. 7.
E. E. DeLong, R. R. 1.
D. S. Early R. R. 2.
Rev. E. E. Young, 528 east High.
Paul Woerner, 425 N. McDonald.
J. J. Walsh, 418 north West.
F. H. Vermillion, 423 N. McDonald
Cliff Thomas, 419 N. West.
Jacob Spyker, 500 W. Wayne.
E. M. Scalts, 642 W Spring.
S. S. Scalts, 558 S Elizabeth.
C. H. Seldon, 530 W. Wayne.
J. W. Southerland, 789 Oak.
J. F. Slechter, 603 east Market.
D. C. Richmond, 311 west Wayne.
Chas. Ritenour, 476 S. Central.
E. J. Rossini, 322 N. Main.
Theo. Roush, 117 east North.
C. Russell, 5 Union Block.
R. C. Rigley, 751 west Market.
F. Russell, 506 N. Main.
Frank Palser, 718 Brice avenue.
J. W. Olinger, 427 N. Pierce.
Chas. Odell, 328½ N. Main
P. J. McCray, 319 N. Pierce.
R. McGreivy, 206 W. Wayne.
R. W. Meily, 329 N. West.
M. D. Manley, 121 E. Wayne.
W. H. Machall, 524 east Market.
Rev. Geo. Lord, 415 N. Elizabeth.
J. J. Keiker, 319 N. Elizabeth.
H. F. Keech, 117 N. West.
G. N. James, 324 N. McDonald.
Fred Hoegner, 223 W. Grand.
S. L. Woodward, 336 N. Charles.
T. F. West, 321 N. Baxter.
J. J. Weadock, 926 W. Wayne.
J. G. Thomas, 503 W. Wayne.
O. G. Tague, 106 N. Washington.
G. R. Simpson, 854 W. Wayne.
Henry Seeber, 121 N. Metcalf.
H. M. Rittenour, 724 W. Wayne.
T. F. Plale, 942 W. Wayne.
W. W. Newcomer, 1011 W. Wayne.
Sallie C. Lenox, 853 W. Wayne.
John Klinger, 312 N. Collet.
Geo. Kanawl, 938 W. Wayne.
F. W. Kruse, 132 N. Washington.
J. N. Heller, 613 W. Wayne.
L. J. Hanley, 801 W. Wayne.
F. M. Haller, 830 W. Wayne.
W. S. Gamble, 924 W. Wayne.
R. O. Ford, 774 W. Wayne.
M. J. Flahie, 107 N. Washington.
A. Disman, 857 W. Wayne.
Geo. Dyer, 911 west Wayne.
W. D. Diehl, 407 N. Metcalf.
F. C. Beam, 316 N. Washington.
Jno. Bingham, 953 W. Wayne.
A. S. Ackerly, 602 Elida Road.
C. M. Overly, 713 W. Wayne.
Wade, 141 south Pine.
A. A. Pontiens, 538 Prospect.
Myers, 1157 west High.
D. L. Wright, R. R. 7.
F. J. Schneider, 209 south Main.
Cobb, 704 east Market.
Rummell, 703 Madison.
Henry Webber, 721 N. Jefferson.

MARSHALL FIELD IS AT HIS JOURNEY END

Death Occurred in His Hotel in New York Tuesday Afternoon.

Knew End Was Coming and He Made Arrangements—Body Will Be Removed to Chicago on Special Train Today.

FIELD'S FORTUNE.	
Real estate, Cook County	$ 30,000,000
Dry goods business	25,000,000
U. S. Steel Stock	17,000,000
Pullman stock	12,500,000
Rock Island stock	4,000,000
St. Paul stock	10,000,000
Other R. R. stock	10,000,000
Easter Textile Mills	5,000,000
Tank stocks	6,000,000
Other holdings	5,500,000
Total	$125,000,000

New York, Jan. 17.—Marshall Field, of Chicago, one of the wealthiest men and most distinguished financiers in the world, died at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Holland House, where for a week he had bravely and with determination fought against an attack of pneumonia, which caused his death. His physicians and relatives agree in the opinion that he fully realized his danger and gave to the battle against death all the power of a vigorous mentality which his 72 years of active business life had not dimmed.

Death had been heralded by the physicians' unwilling verdict that hope was gone. This was communicated to the several members of the family and friends gathered in adjoining rooms of the aprtment, but there was no scene of farewell then. All that had been [illegible] Mr. Field was a man of such per[illegible] method in all his undertakings th[illegible] had prepared even against his dying hours, and, when the last strugg[illegible] was approaching, said his final words to those nearest and dearest to him. Then he turned again to the fight for life.

He had been unconscious for two hours and the signs of imminent dissolution were plain to his physicians, when his immediate family was notified that death was very near. From their rooms near by came Mrs. Marshall Field, whom the dying man wedded less than six months ago; Mrs. Marshall Field, Jr., widow of the financier's only son, and himself the recent victim of a fatal accident; Mrs. Henry Dibblee, Mr. Field's sister, and Stanley Field, his nephew, to whom he was deeply attached.

Many Friends Present.

They gathered at the dying man's bedside at 3 o'clock, and an hour later he passed away.

In the room adjoining that in which Mr. Field was sinking to his death were Robert T. Lincoln, Marvin Hughitt, President of the Chicago Northwestern Railroad and an old friend of the dying financier; Arthur B. Jones, Mr. Field's secretary; Dr. Allison Armour, Augustus A. Eddy, brother-in-law of Mrs. Marshall Field; Miss Catherine Eddy, Charles A. Munn, Jr., of Washington, D. C., son of an old friend of Mr. Field; W. G. Beale, one of Mr. Field's lawyers, and Mrs. Beale.

No statement of any kind as to Mr. Field's disposal of his vast fortune was made today. All of his affairs, it was declared, were in perfect order, and the changes in his will necessitated by the death of his son had already been made when he left Chicago on January 8.

While the arrangements for the funeral are not completed, it was announced that the body would be sent to Chicago about 10 o'clock this morning in a special train over the New York Central lines. This train will reach its destination Thursday morning. Accompanying the body will be Mrs. Mrashall Field, Mrs. Marshall Feild, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Field, Mrs. John King, a niece of Mr. Field, and her husband; Mrs. Henry Dibblee, a sister; Mrs. Preston Gibson, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page and a niece of Mr. Field; Mr. Eddy, Miss Eddy; Robert M. Fair, former partner of the dead merchant; Mr. Jones, secretary; Robert T. Lincoln, Mrs. L. D. James, Philip James, a nephew; Mrs. Gillett, a niece, and Norman B. Ream.

Funeral services in Chicago will be held either in the Feild mansion on Prairie avenue, or in the First Presbyterian church, of which Rev. Dr. Morrison is pastor.

Dr. Frank Billings, who attended Dr. Harper, President of the Chicago University, in his long battle against cancer, was the only one of Mr. Field's physicians present when the end came.

Due to Exhaustion.

"Death was due to exhaustion," said Dr. Billings. "On Monday the disease extended into the left lung, and Mr. Field was unable to rally. His case was absolutely hopeless after 11 o'clock yesterday morning, and just previous to death his temperature was 107.

"We told the family days ago that Mr. Field's case was a desperate one. He fully realized this himself, and seemed to be using all his mental vigor in an effort to fight off the disease. He was unconscious after 2 o'clock(two hours before he died."

SHELTERED

THE ESCAPED CONVICT, WHO REWARDED JONES BY LEAVING WITH HIS BENEFACTOR'S WIFE.

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 17.—As a reward to Melvin Jones for sheltering him, Claude Gregory, an escaped convict, has left with Jones's wife. He escaped a few weeks ago from the Jackson Penitentiary in Michigan, where he was serving for horse-stealing. Here he sought protection at the home of his former friend, Melvin Jones.

Jones boarded him and succeeded in keeping the officers on a false trail.

Last night when Jones returned to his home he found it deserted. A note on a table told him that his wife and Gregory had left after morigaging everything in the house worth hypothecating, in order to secure funds for their trip. It is thought they went to Columbus, and the police are on the track of the couple.

RUN

On a Pittsburg Bank was Caused By Mysterious

DISAPPEARANCE OF THE CASHIER—NEARLY A MILLION DOLLARS HEAPED UP

ON THE COUNTERS TO MEET THE RUN—CASHIER HAS BEEN MISSING SEVERAL MONTHS—HIS PICTURE SENT ALL OVER THE COUNTRY.

Pittsburg, Jan. 17.—A run on the Washington National Bank of Pittsburg, which began yesterday afternoon, continued all today, but tonight it is thought the run, which, for the time, threatened to assume serious proportions, has been broken. The sight and use of immense piles of gold, silver and bank notes inside the railings all day appears to have a good effect on the small army of depositors who dashed for the bank at all hours today, bank book in hand.

The run was brought about by information that Cashier S. C. Armstrong had disappeared some time ago, and that every effort had been made by the officers of the bank to keep this from the public. It developed that Cashier Armstrong mysteriously disappeared on the afternoon of January 2. Since then the authorities in different parts of the country have been looking for him. A circular poster, with his picture and description, has been sent out by Superintendent of Detectives McQuaide, who also tonight offered a reward of $200 for information regarding his whereabouts.

Shortage Denied.

The information also came to the stockholders that Armstrong had absconded with from $50,000 to $100,000 of the bank's money, and it was this that started the run.

When President Reilly last night reached a spot where he could breathe he denied that Armstrong had taken one cent of the bank's money. He said the Cashier had simply disappeared in a manner most mysterious, and that his accounts were found to be in the best of shape. President Reilly admitted that he had suppressed the news of the Cashier's disappearance because of the ignorance of certain depositors of the bank, who might start a run.

Miss Cora Seitz, of Delphos, is spending the week with friends in this city.

Mrs. Ed. Stagman and daughter, of Delphos, are visiting in Lima.

FOUND

IN A ROOM LITTERED WITH EMPTY BEER AND WHISKY BOTTLES—AN OHIO GIRL'S TRAGIC FATE.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 17.—Lying in a bedroom littered with beer and whisky bottles and other evidences of an all-night debauch the dead body of Mary Schallenmiller, in the employ of Mrs. Rosa Burns Hermann, a wealthy woman, was discovered yesterday by occupants of the upper floor of Mrs. Hermann's house, No. 1371 Walter street. In another room lay the owner of the house, Mrs. Hermann, gasping for life.

It is believed that during a celebration one of the women accidentally turned out the gas and then turned on the stop cock again. Little or nothing is known of Mary Schallenmiller. She was not communicative, and simply told Mrs. Hermann that she was from Bucyrus, Ohio, where all of her relatives lived. When searched at the morgue a small chamois skin bag was found around her neck containing certificate of deposit for $647.71, made out by First National Bank of that city. She was 35 or 36 years of age and prepossessing.

This Want Ad appeared in the News.

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PRIORS DEBTS NOW REACH $3,000,000

Bankers' Committee Makes Startling Statement of Suicide Defalcations.

Cleveland, Jan. 17.—According to an official statement issued today by the bankers' committee investigating the affairs of Denison, Prior & Co., the bankers and brokers who failed several days ago, the liabilities of the firm, including the forged putout of L. W. Prior will aggregate $3,000,000. The statement as given out by the bankers' committee is as follows:

"The investigating committee had a meeting today and had the fullest returns possible made to them. Their feeling is, a receiver having been appointed in the United States court, and matters turned over to him, that it is due to the public that they make the following statement:

"The total liabilities, including all forgeries, aggregate approximately three million dollars, and there are valid assets either in the hands of the firm or up as collateral of about one and a half million.

"This total of three million includes about one million assets and liabilities in the Boston and Cleveland bond departments which have not heretofore been taken into account as the bonds in the bond departments are good and valid bonds largely hypothecated, and more than ample to pay obligations against them.

"Mr. Denison was in Boston last Saturday and had shipped on to be turned over to the receiver, something over fifty thousand of good securities, which was all the property in the possession of the firm in Boston."

LIFER GETS A NEW TRIAL

Columbus, Jan. 17.—Willis Miller, one of the murderers of "Celery King" Johnson, of Wyandot county, a few years ago, was granted a new trial by the supreme court Tuesday. He has been in the penitentiary on a life sentence since his conviction.

Tuesday the supreme court reversed the Wyandot county court, and sent Miller's case back for retrial.

TWO KILLED IN A TRAIN WRECK AT ATTICA

Fostoria, O., Jan. 17.—Baltimore and Ohio east bound passenger train No. 6, due in Fostoria at 10:56 p. m., was wrecked at Attica, east of here yesterday.

Jerry Baker, engineer of Garrett, Ind., was instantly killed and William Truitt, Garrett, Ind., was fatally injured.

The train does not stop at Attica station and Engineer Baker was trying to make up an hour's loss in time.

The engine struck the top of a box car that had been blown onto the track by the high wind. The engine jumped the track and the baggage and express car following were thrown from the rail and the baggage and express car following were thrown from the rails and turned completely over. The passenger coaches remained on the track.

The engine was demolished. The train was in charge of Conductor C. A. Cross, of Chicago Junction. The wreck train from Chicago Junction cleared the track this mroning.

SALARY BILL FOR PROSECUTORS HITS FEES.

Columbus, Jan. 17.—Dire stories of oppression by county commissioners accompany the introduction of the county prosecutors' bill, which will be presented in a few days.

It places the prosecuting attorneys on straight salary, varying from $1,800 to $7,000 a year, according to the population of the county. This is to be in lieu of all fees. The four largest counties are all in the $7,000 class.

In addition, this bill will cut off fat places in some of the counties, namely the legal advisers of the county commissioners. The prosecutors say that the present law, authorizing county commissioners to fix the salaries of the prosecutors, has caused them to lead a dog's life.

Genuine Jackson Lump Coal, is clean and no slack, at $3.75 per ton, for a short time only. Hiner Coal & Supply Co.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Lima Masonic Hall Company will be held at its rooms in the Masonic Building, Lima, Ohio, on Wednesday evening, February 7th, 1906 (7:30 o'clock) for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business pertaining to said company as may be presented.

R. L. Bates, Secy.

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Lima, O., Jan. 6, 1906.

1-30th of the entire Quinine production of the World is consumed every year by the makers of Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets

"Cure a Cold in One Day." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c

BIDS FOR LEASE OF CANAL

TOLEDO COMPANY DOUBLES THE OFFER MADE BY THE TOLEDO-LIMA TRACTION LINE.

The Toledo Interurban Railway company put a crimp in the aspirations of the Toledo & Lima Traction company Tuesday when, at the meeting of the state canal commission and the board of public works at Columbus a bid of $3,000 for the lease of the four miles of berme bank of the Miami and Erie canal was put in.

To show that the Toledo interurban company is acting in good faith it put up a cash deposit of $300. The Toledo company's bid is just double the bid of the Toledo & Lima company.

"We not only put in this bid for the lease of the property," said Thomas H. Tracy Tuesday, "but we have notified the canal commissioners that if they will put the berme bank up for sale it will make a bid for its purchase."

The Toledo & Lima company is backed in its fight by George Cox, Kesley Schoepf and others of influence in state politics.—Toledo Bee.

Torturing eczema spreads its burning area every day. Doan's Ointment quickly stops its spreading, instantly relieves the itching, cures it permanently. At any drug store.

LANTERN

WOULD NOT STAY LIGHTED AND SWITCHMAN HAD A PREMONITION OF COMING EVIL.

Springfield, Ohio, Jan. 17.—Jacob Wolf, a Big Four switchman, was killed today. There were no witnesses to the fatality, but the supposition is that his foot got caught in a switch. Arthur Fisher, who was working with Wolf, tendered his resignation after Wolf was killed. Fisher had a premonition of evil all night from the fact that he could not keep his lantern lighted. After Wolf's death the lantern remained lighted without any trouble. Wolf was 33 years old, married, and came here recently from Bainbridge.

TO LIMIT TERMS OF COMMON PLEAS JUDGE

Columbus, Jan. 17.—In the senate, Williams, of Cuyahoga, introduced a bill amending the law of common pleas judges in Cuyahoga sub-division, so as to make them conform to the biennial election amendment adopted at the last election. Similar measures will have to be introduced for all judicial subdivision in the state.

Senator Carter, of Wyandot, put in a bill providing that victims of railway accidents may sue for damages in the county in which the ticket was purchased.

These additional senate bills were introduced:

By Affleck, of Montgomery, abolishing right of a board of review to interfering with the school levy in city districts.

By Brandt, of Franklin, compelling street railway companies to provide closed vestibules for motormen by Nov. 1, 1906.

By Vanover, of Wayne, providing for annual reports by all private and national banks to the state and for bonds to secure at least 75 per cent of the deposits.

GROUNDED STEAMER IS GOING TO PIECES.

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 17.—The steamship Cherokee, of the Clyde line, which grounded on Friday last near the South Brigantine life saving station, is still aground today. The vessel has listed to starboard and is in danger of going to pieces.

TWO SENATE BILLS PASS COMMITTEE.

Columbus, Jan. 17.—The senate judiciary committee yesterday made a favorable report on the Beatty bill providing for the repeal of the inheritance tax law and Senator Lawyer's bill providing life imprisonment as the penalty for those who burglarize an inhabited house.

Doan's Regulets cure constipation, tone the stomach, stimulates the liver, promote digestion and appetite and easy passages of the bowels. Ask your druggist for them. 25

BAPTIST

Must Succeed Doctor Harper

BUT A NEW CHARTER MAY OBVIATE THIS IF THE RIGHT MAN IS FOUND.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Although a President of the University of Chicago will probably not be elected for a year, numerous educators are being mentioned to succeed Dr. Harper. Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, dean of the faculties and head of the Department of International Law, who has been acting President during Dr. Harper's illness, will become temporary President until the Trustees name a successor. A difficulty caused by the provision of the university charter that the President must be a Baptist in good standing may be overcome, it is said, by the grant of a new charter. John D. Rockefeller is said to favor the election of President Wm. H. P. Faunce, of Brown University. Dr. Faunce was once pastor of the Fifth Avenue Church of New York, which Mr. Rockefeller attended. It is declared, however, that Mr. Rockefeller will not attempt to dictate a selection.

Others mentioned are E. Benjamin Andrews, University of Nebraska; Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, of Cornell, and Profs. Judson, Mathews, Small, Chamberlain, Butler and Vincent, of the University of Chicago faculty. Dr. Harper is said to have received a salary of $15,000 a year. Trustees of the university today practically decided to dedicate a great memorial chapel to Dr. Harper.

If you wish to make a loan or renew a loan at the very lowest rates of interest, we can furnish you the money on the most liberal terms. C. H. Folsom, Holmes Block. 4-3t

HOWL FROM LITTLE BANKS.

Columbus, Jan. 17.—The Vanover banking bill, introduced in the senate, has already attracted the prompt attention of private banks, which see in it a menace to their interests. They are flooding the members of the legislature with letters of protest.

Senator Beatty said Monday that though the bill had only been announced Saturday through the Scripps-McRae press, he believed he had heard from every one of the 17 private banks of Wood county, which seem to consider the bill in the interest of the national banks.

MADE LOVE FOR THREE LONG YEARS

THE NTHE MILLIONAIRE HORSEMAN REFUSED TO MARRY HER, SAYS MISS MADDEN—ASKS $50,000.

New York, Jan. 17.—It became known today that not only is the $50,000 breach of promise suit which Sarah Madden, an actress, has brought against Peter Duryea, millionaire horse breeder and owner of the famous Kentucky Patchen-Wilkes Stock Farm, to go to trial, but that some of the prominent persons of New York City and of the Blue Grass capital will be there to witness it.

One of the counsel for Miss Madden admitted today that among the notables to be present will be Mrs. Philip M. Lydig, W. E. D. Stokes and others of equal prominence.

Mr. Duryea's counsel have filed a bill of particulars by way of answer, which mentions the names of four men, and is replete with sensational details. Miss Madden alleges that Mr. Duryea was introduced to her in March, 1897, in Lexington, and made ardent love to her for three years, and she has more than 130 love letters to read to the jury.

Nathaniel Cohen, of counsel for Duryea, has been subpoenaed to produce 100 letters written by Miss Madden in response to his billet doux.

Miss Madden says Duryea popped the question in May, 1898, in Lexington, and poped it again on three distinct occasions in this city in August, 1899, December, 1900, and again in October, 1901.

Duryea denies that he ever proposed or promised to marry the fair Sarah, but admits that he refused to marry her.

Peter Duryea's home is in Lexington.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS. THE BOOKS WILL CLOSE JANUARY 20th. OFFICE WILL BE KEPT OPEN MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY EVENINGS OF THIS WEEK. THOMAS H JONES, TREASURER ALLEN COUNTY.

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AMUSEMENTS

"The Missouri Girl," which will be seen at Faurot Opera House tonight, has been on the road continuously for the past evelen seasons and for five years, two companies have presented this ever popular play. It has probably covered less territory than any other play in the world in the same length of time on account of playing so many return dates.

Mr. Raymond soon discovered that he had a great repeater and has been playing the same theaters year after year to an ever increasing business.

"THE BLACK CROOK" TOMORROW NIGHT.

Most plays grow stale with the public after a few seasons and are either shelved or sent out on "one night stands" at cheap prices with inferior companies. But the case of "The Missouri Girl" is exactly the opposite. The show is at present doing a record-breaking business, and this, in theaters where it has played as high as ten different engagements.

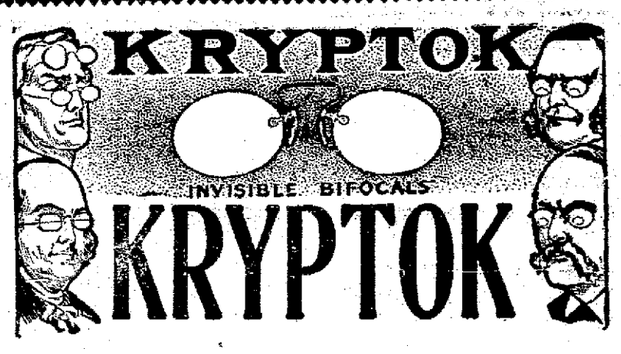
The companies have been kept up to the standard of excellence and no pains nor expense spared to make the productions strictly up-to-date bers sixty people.

At the Faurot Opera House tomorrow evening, Miller and Plohn will present a spectacular production of the classic extravaganza "The Black Crook." The old time melodramatic spectacle has been given an entirely new dress, new music has been provided and modern dancing has supplanted the almost obsolete ballets. As to the story, however, but little change has been made and the original idea as conceived by Charles Barras, remains the plot of the play; although, the version used is the one that was made for the Kiralfy Bros., for their revival of "The Black Crook" in 1876. The story will bear telling anew. Rudolph and Amina are a pair of youthful lovers. Amina is also loved by Count Wolfenstein, a villianous nobleman who has employed as a henchman, Hertzog, called the "Black Crook" from a deformity, and from the fact that he always dresses in the most sombre of hues. Hertzog has made a compact with the Devil, whereby he is to gain a prolongation of his life, in return for the corruption of human souls. "A single soul a single year" is the compact. He seeks to destroy Rudolph and to bring Amina to his master. Stalacta, the fairy queen, interposes in their behalf, however, and Hertzog and his villainous employer, Wolfenstein, meet with the same fate they had intended for Rudolph and Amina. This story has given plenty of opportunity for scenic display and the introduction of novel musical numbers, an advantage which it is said has been fully appreciated by the present management. New scenery has been provided from the studios of Frank Dodge, electrical effects by Kleigel Brothers, and a wealth of marvelous dresses from several prominent costumers. As an added feature, several European vaudeville acts have been provided, including the Donazetta family of acrobats, the Thre Eng. Rosebuds, in a novel dancing specialty, and C. W. Williams in up-to-date ventriloquism. The dramatic cast includes Emmett O'Conner, Martin Stevens, John Gilroy, Joseph Cusack, Jeannette Coleman, Emma Siegel and Annie Whiting.

"THE BLACK CROOK" TOMORROW NIGHT.

SIMPLE SIMON SIMPLE.

An epidemic of fun is to visit the stage of the Faurot Opera House on next Saturday afternoon and evening, when Nixon & Zimmerman's new cartoon musical extravaganza, Simple Simon Simple comes to town. This exceedingly funny piece was brought out in Philadelphia last spring, and made a great hit, one which scored more than one hundred performances before hot weather closed the theatre's doors. The story of Simple Simon Simple concerns the antics of two well known cartoon characters, namely Simon Simple, son of Judge and Mrs. Simple, the social magnates of Simpleville, and Pickaninny Mose, a bandy legged little nigger who looks upon Simon as all that is great and good. Several other famous cartoon personages are mixed up in the plot. Hans Spiegelberger, the funny German, with his doubtful jokes; Sig Saute, the circus man, Tony De Bumski, the Dago fruit seller; Old Mammy Johnsing, Mose's mother; and Swatem, the Cop, all being very much in evidence. The story concerns the efforts of Simon's wily uncle Mandamus to induce his nephew to leave home and become his own master. Life with Saute's circus is the bait held out and the youth succumbs to the temptation much to the grief of his doting parents and the joy of the villagers to whom Simon's jokes have become a burden. Simon outwits his enemies at the very finish and elects to stay at home with "Paw" and "Maw." Neil McNeil will be seen as Simon, and little Jerry Sullivan will cut up as Mose. Wally Clark as Spiegelberger; Tom Springer as the Judge; Geo. Murphy as Swatem; and Horace Wright as Tony have parts well fitted to the strong personalities. The company numsixty people.



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The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Sarah A. Moore late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased. tt

Dated this 9th day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN MOORE.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Hall & Woods Co. for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company on January 19th, 1906 at 7 o'clock, p. m.

S. B. DOUGLASS,
9-13-17 Secretary.

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20 BUILDINGS WIPED OUT

Town of Convoy Devastated By Fire—Business Section Destroyed.

Van Wert, Jan. 17.—Convoy, a village of 800, located eight miles west of here, was visited by a disastrous fire destroying a large portion of the business section.

The buildings wiped out are: Henry Zentz's residense, occupied by Henry Baltzell; Zentz's business room, High and Hesket's meat market, Mrs. Dehay's residence, Dr. Clay's office, First National bank, Home Telephone exchange, David Thomas's grocery, Red Man's and Home Guard's hall, Dr. Charles Sidie's office and residence, Peter Herl's general store, which occupied the Mollenkopf & Penny business rooms; Odd Fellows' hall, Chauncey Sproul's barber shop, Albert Runnion's residence, A. E. Mollenkopf's general implement store, the postoffice, township hall, W. K. Anderson's building, occupied by Fred Sheefel's grocery; John Bowen's barber shop and residence, the Presbyterian church, Jones & Campbell's office and coal sheds, Charles Gause's residence and barn, Peter Herl's residence and barn, John Heskett's barn, A. B. Baker's general store and residence.

The plate glass fronts of Baxter's hardware store, E. V. Mullen's hotel and Selby & Harvey's saloon were also destroyed by intense heat.

Twenty buildings were destroyed, entailing a loss of between $75,000 and $100,000.

BERME BANK IS NOT YET LEASED

Board of Public Works May Act Today-

Toledo Urban and Interurban Company Guarantees Bid of the Toledo Company.

Columbus, Jan. 17.—The state board of public works adjourned, after an executive session of about an hour yesterday until this afternoon without taking any action on the leasing of the berme bank of the Miami and Erie canal in the vicinity of Toledo.

The meeting, at which was considered the advisibility of entering into an agreement with the Lima and Toledo Traction company for a lease of four miles of the berme bank of the waterway at an annual rental of $1,500 was full of surprises.

The representatives of the Toledo Interurban company entered into the contest for the property and offered to raise the price to $3,000. This completely took the board off its feet. The company was represented by Attorney G. D. Wells.

In order to make the offer of $3,000 good, and for fear the board would reject it on the grounds that the interurban was not yet constructed, a representative of the Toledo Urban and Interurban announced that his line was ready to stand good for the amount. This representative was G. B. Kerper, Jr.

The Lima & Toledo Traction company was represented by W. B. Richie, Richard Shepherd and D. J. Cable.

The meeting was attended by Representatives Schafer, Lersch and Little and Senator Bassett of Lucas county. Senator Lamb could not attend.

Bassett stated that he represented the people. He was opposed to leasing the canals, but, if it was to be done, the highest bidder should get the privileges after the property to be leased had been thoroughly advertised.

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AGAIN

DEFEATS THE WHITE STARS—LITTLE BIT TOO FAST FOR THE LOCAL BOYS. FUTURE EVENTS.

The third game of basket ball with the Philadelphia team was played by the White Stars last night at the Auditorium, the contest resulting in another victory for the visitors. Following was the score:

Conshohocken 27—Deal, rf., 3; Smith, lf., 4; Glassey, c., 5; White, rg., 1; Herron, lg.

Lima 24—Akerman, rf., 2; Shaw, lf., 6; L. Laudick, c, 2; M. Laudick, rg., 1; Klumph, lg.

Free Throws—White 1; Shaw 2.

Referee, Frank Wallace.

The same team will play the White Stars next Tuesday evening. On next Friday night the Lima High School team and the Defiance Five will meet.

On Thursday of next week the White Stars will have a game with the Circleville team.

On next Monday evening at the Auditorium there will be a wrestling match between Al Akerman and Charles Renick, of Pittsburg. The article of agreement are that Renick will have to throw Akerman twice in one hour and fourty minutes. Renick is about twenty-four pounds heavier than Akerman.

Manager Finley this morning received a challenge from Frank Whitmer, of Cincinnati, in which he challenges Al Akerman, agreeing to throw him twice in one hour, catch-as-catch-can, or three times in one hour, Grecian-Roman. The challenge was accepted, but it will not be put on for several weeks. Whitmer weighs about sixteen pounds more than Akerman. Whitmer and Murburger wrestled at Cincinnati last week for two hours and thirty minutes when the referee declared the bout a draw.

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BLAUVELTS FAD

PRIMA DONNA'S BAGGAGE CAUSES UNDUE EXCITEMENT.

There was quite a little commotion created at the Norval yesterday noon. The new manager, E. C. Dyer, and his corps of assistants, including clerks, porters, bell boys and others, had begun the task of assigning and delivering to the rooms the baggage of "The Rose of the Alhambra" Opera Co. There was one unusual piece ready to be moved from the baggage wagon, bearing the mark "Blauvelt-Hotel." It was tremendously heavy, and a request had previously been made by Miss Blauvelt, the prima Donna, to have this particular piece delivered to her room post-haste on its arrival. Of course this created some interest in this article and when Manager E. C. Dyer discovered that about ten men were needed to move it, unusual excitement followed. This excitement was allayed somewhat when it was learned that the cause of it was the celebrated star's favorite piano, a Smith & Nixon, which she always carried with her and which her contract demands must be placed in her apartments wherever the company may be playing. This unusual incident brings to light another fad of the many fads of celebrated songtresses, but to Miss Blauvelt's credit her fad is a sensible one, for the piano, be it Smith & Nixon or any other make, is more worthy of devotion than the nonsensical objects that other celebrities flaunt before the public as fads. Miss Blauvelt really loves this piano and will not appear without it.

Russian Liberty meeting, next Saturday evening, Jan. 20, at the assembly room, in the court house. All are invited.

Both the American and French revolutions were but prominent incidents in the irrepressible struggle for human rights which commenced when nature implanted in her highest organism, man, the instinct which is an unconquerable desire for perfect and eternal happiness which indicates the common aim and attainable end of science, of art, and of all natural materialistic or intelligible activities; that thirst for liberty which can be satisfied by nothing short of the revolution which will remove all constraint.

From a small spark kindled in America, a flame has arisen not to be extinguished; it winds its progress from nation to nation wherever despotism sits upon a throne, wielding a scepter of oppression and injustice. Let us then extend our sympathies to those who are struggling to arise from the ashes of the past and model their future from the glorious form of our Goddess of Liberty.

Remember that crisis in our struggle for independence when the lights of liberty burned low at Valley Forge. These are the times that try men's souls in Russia, and the story of their struggle will be told by several able speakers next Saturday night. Come all who sympathize with the cause of liberty. A collection or subscription will be made for the suffering revolutionists of Russia.

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FINDLAY TO ST MARYS

Enjoyed By a Party of Newspaper Men and City Officials Over the Western Ohio Yesterday Afternoon—Stopped in Lima For Dinner

The Findlay Republican has the following concerning the trip over the Western Ohio yesterday afternoon:

A splendid ride and a day of real pleasure was enjoyed by the city officials, the newspaper men and a number of prominent citizens when they became the guests of the Western Ohio, Tuesday, for a tour over their new line from Findlay to St. Marys.

The run along the entire route was in many respects most remarkable. Leaving Findlay at 1:50 p. m. the party reached Lima in one hour and twenty minutes, much or the distance where the condition of the new track would permit, being made at the rate of a mile a minute. The whole distance of fifty-seven miles, from Findlay to St. Marys, was made in much less than schedule time. Upon arrival in St. Marys, the party was conducted to the great power house, one of the largest and best equipped in the state. It was built at a cost of $500,000, and to it is hitched one hundred and seventy-seven miles of trolley wire.

On the return trip the party stopped at Lima and were escorted to the Manhattan restaurant, where they were treated to an elaborate dinner. The party returned at a late hour Tuesday night, all delighted with the day's experience and the courtesies extended by the management of the Western Ohio.

FINDLAY GUESTS.

City Officials.

James B. Walker, mayor.
Clarendon B. Metcalf, ex-mayor.
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William Demland, auditor.
Thos. F. Lang, solicitor.
J. C. Edie, clerk.
R. K. Carlin, police judge.
J. W. S. Reigle, engineer.
John L. Krämer, chief of police.
Russel Morrison, police clerk.
J. C. Firmin, treasurer.
Amos Beardsely, health officer.
Board of service—W. H. Loy, Al Barton, Charles Gassman.
Board of safety—Beecher W. Waltermire, Andrew Jackson Fisher (appointment pending.)
Board of health—Dr. C. W. Benedict, John Baker, W. K. Stringfellow.
Water works trustee—W. J. Frey.
Prominent citizens—R. E. Taylor, Commercial bank; George P. Jones, cashier First National bank; W. F. Hosler, cashier City bank; L. H. Cunningham, manager of Marvin opera house.
Newspapers—J. M. Hoffa, Wachenblatt; H. W. Brown, Courier; I. N. Heminger, Republican; A. J. Hazlett, Jeffersonian.

RAWSON GUESTS.

E. W. Burket, mayor.
Councilmen—Wm. Hech, Sam Cameron, A. Fellers, John Hughes, A. C. Burkholder, W. C. Miller.

MT. CORY GUESTS.

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J. Doty, health officer.
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A. Hauenstein, mayor.
Frank A. Eaton, ex-mayor.
Councilmen—Mel Bogart, Peter Diller, G. B. Flemming, J. C. Wilson, Harry H. Patterson.
W. C. Augberger, Bluffton News.

BEAVERDAM GUESTS.

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Councilmen—J. W. Manges, Wm. H. Edgecomb, W. L. Crider, Elias Fett, C. Dauner, Wm. McBride.

FOSTORIA GUESTS.

Charles Ash, treasurer, Seneca county; G. H. McDonald, clothier; N. Burischer, capitalist; W. W. Weaver, dry goods; M. A. Lease, boots and shoes; Edgar Lease, council; John Dicken, council.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS.

C. L. Wilcoxen, superintendent; R. R. Hays, dispatcher; Bob Downing, conductor; J. P. McKiney, motorman; C. F. Price, chief jollier.

"GO TELL MY WIFE"

John Burns, English Labor Leader, Elected to Parliament.

London, Jan. 17.—There was a great scene at Battersea last night after the poll showing that John Burns was elected, was announced. Mr. Burns stood on the balcony of the town hall on Lavender Hill, where he resides, wildly waving his hat while fully 20,00 of his supporters were along the hill as wildly cheering.

It was a long time before Mr. Burns could get a hearing to announce the figures. Then he exclaimed: "Now go and tell my wife."

A few minutes afterwards Mr. Burns was escorted, shoulder high, through the Battersea streets by thousands of workmen.

The commercial heart of the kingdom remained faithful to the Unionist cause, the city of London returning A. G. H. Gibbs and Sir Edward Clark with enormous majorities, approximately 10,000, over their Liberal opponents. Some of the other Conservative London districts, like Westminster and Provincial seats like Oxford, where the working class population is small, managed to retain Unionist representatives.

The 247 seats already elected for the new parliament are distributed as follows: Liberals 127; Unionists 54; Laborites, 28; Nationalists 38.

BIG FIRE IN BRYAN

Long Block Swept By Flames—Damages May Reach $10,000.

Bryan, O., Jan. 17.—Fire originating last evening in a tailor shop on the second floor of the Long block in High street did damage which may amount to between nine and ten thousand dollars.

Long's drug store, the clothing store of Hugh McPhail, and the cigar factory of F. R. Parker, all on the first floor of the building were flooded with water and the stocks are probably a total loss. On the second floor the flames gutted the offices of Drs. John and James Long and Dr. Riggs, and broke through into the Masonic lodge room on the floor above, destroying the paraphernalia of the order.

The fire department fought the blaze for two hours before subduing it.

COLUMBUS, JAN. 17.—THERE WILL BE A NEW SCHOOL CODE INTRODUCED WHICH WILL PROVIDE FOR A BOARD OF EDUCATION OF FIVE MEMBERS IN CITIES, ELECTED AT LARGE. NO DETAILS HAVE BEEN DECIDED UPON AND THE BILL MAY BE PRESENTED BY DR. WHITNEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON COMMON SCHOOLS.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the Creditors of Ray N. Killian, of Lima, Allen County, Ohio, by the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio.

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The Choir Guild of the Episcopal church will meet in the church this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Shaffer and daughter, Helen, have returned home after a pleasant visit with E. J. Rose and family, of Wapakoneta.

Mrs. Carl Means, of New Hampshire, is spending a few days with friends in the city.

Conductor J. Wadsworth, of north Broadway, is confined to his home with the grip.

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FUNERAL FROM ST. ROSE TOMORROW.

The funeral of Mrs. John Fitzgerald, who died suddenly Monday evening of heart failure, will be held from the St. Rose church tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock.

STOLE A WATCH.

Walter Dumiphau was arrested yesterday for stealing a watch from his uncle and was bound over to the Grand Jury this afternoon by Mayor Robb in the sum of $100.

THERE'S A WAY TO TELL

Why winter's storms do not inconvenience some families.

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Where does Henry H. Rogers have his Sunday school class?

President Roosevelt has joined the Red Men. Some more feathers in his cap.

New York's new Croton dam is finished. New York's new Bingham damn goes right on.

Still no speech from Senator La Follette! Bronchial trouble or stage fright?

Russia's war with Japan cost her $1,050,000,000. The general opinion is that Russia didn't get value received in this deal.

Once in a while there really is a bride who is not "beautiful and accomplished," but she always is "possessed of a charming disposition."

If the planet Mars is several million years older than our earth, this fact may explain why it is that she has her system of canals completed.

The Cupid Ten O'clock Club, of Logansport, made up of girls who agreed to dismiss their gentlemen callers at 10 p. m., has failed. Many of the members have gone into the hands of receivers.

The reason so many childless women lecture on the proper way to bring up a child is that the mothers are too busy with the actual work of training children to think about giving advice to others.

They are still "reviewing the causes that led up to the Spanish-American war" in the speeches in congress. When this is completed the study of Ethan Allen's capture of Ticonderoga might be resumed.

It is as idle for Champ Clark to speak of Bryan as the "greatest American" as it would be for one to speak of a certain girl as the "prettiest girl." You can't use superlatives in speaking of human beings any more.

Austin, Tex., announces the "first strawberries of the season." The strawberry shortcake that you have been getting at the restaurants is probably some that has been kept over from last season in cold storage.

PRESS COMMENT.

Faith in Roosevelt.

Colonel Bryan is devoting himself to travel and literature. Does he rely on President Roosevelt to take care of the country?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Something Tangible.

Now the charge is made that Nick Longworth plays the fiddle. We knew that they would dig up something tangible against him if they kept at it.—Washington Post.

Know-Nothing Days.

A glance over the report of the Standard Oil inquiry is almost enough to convince one that the "know-nothing" days have come again.—Columbus Dispatch.

An Open Question.

A Chicago man beat his wife because she would give him nothing but cold pancakes for his luncheon. One hardly knows which to sympathize with in this case.—Cleveland Leader.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Whisky blossoms are often on the bum.

It's rough on a girl if her beau neglects to shave.

It's a poor artist who is unable to draw an obese salary.

A waiter is a chap who has learned labor while he waits.

It's awful to fish for compliments in any and all seasons.

Nothing equals the arrogance of some men's so-called humble opinions.

Only a very lazy man is afraid to earn money because it may be tainted.

There is consolation in the bible for all—except the woman who isn't invited when her neighbor gives a party.—Chicago News.

The People's Outfitting Co.,
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BRILLIANT

Were the Pioneer Congressmen of

NORTHWESTERN OHIO—MEN OF GREAT INTELLECTS WERE CHOSEN IN THE EARLY DAYS TO REPRESENT THE PEOPLE, CHARLES N. LAMISON, OF LIMA AMONG THEM.

The Van Wert Daily Times is publishing a series of articles on the congressional history of Northwestern Ohio which are intensely interesting as they tend to give the present generation of readers an idea of the merits of the brilliant men who represented this part of Ohio in the early days. We herewith reproduce some of the good things which the articles contain:

When Ohio was admitted a state in 1803, she had one member of congress, and so continued until 1812. Jeremiah Morrow, afterwards governor, served Ohio in congress as her sole representative for these ten years. In 1812 the legislature created six districts, which remained thus for a decade. In 1822 Ohio was divided into fourteen districts. For the first time Van Wert county appeared on the map, and it was made a part of the third district, composed of Preble, Miami, Mercer, Van Wert, Paulding, Williams, Shelby, Allen, Montgomery and Putnam, embracing the entire two west tiers of counties as now constituted from the north line of Butler county to the Michigan line.

Wm. McLain from Miami county was the first congressman from the third district and served six years. Joseph H. Crane, of Montgomery county, served the following four. In 1832 Ohio was divided into nineteen districts, Van Wert remaining in the third district, which was changed by taking out Preble and adding Henry and Wood. Mr. Crane got four more years in the new district, and was succeeded by Patrick H. Goode, of Shelby, who served six years. Mr. Goode was a lawyer by occupation.

In 1842 Ohio was divided into twenty-one districts, and Van Wert became a part of the fifth district composed of Mercer, Van Wert, Paulding, Williams, Lucas, Henry, Putnam, Allen, Shelby, Hardin and Defiance. Emery D. Potter, of Toledo, a very able lawyer, who served a term in the lower house of the legislature, and one term as senator in the legislature, was the first congressman from the new district. Wm. Sawyer, of Mercer county, who then lived in St. Marys, and was known as "Sausage Bill," because he always carried a bologna in his pocket, served two terms. Mr. Potter then came back for another term. Mr. Potter served in other districts, making his service in congress eight years.

In 1845 Ohio had the first Gerrymander, when the Whigs got the legislature, but the fifth district was not changed. A. P. Edgerton, of Hicksville, a capitalist, who had served two terms in the state senate, was the next member of congress and served the last two years of the decade.

In 1852 Ohio was divided into twenty-one districts and the fifth was composed of Van Wert, Paulding, Putnam, Defiance, Williams, Fulton, Lucas, Wood, Henry and Hancock. Mr. Edgerton served two more years in the new district. Mr. Edgerton was one of the pioneers of northwestern Ohio, and did much to develope the country, and was a large dealer in real estate and town sites. He died a few years ago in Hicksville. Richard Mott, of Lucas, served the following four years.

Richard Mott, the successor of Mr. Edgerton, was born in New York in 1804, but died in Toledo in 1866. In early life he was a railway promoter and was instrumental in helping to build the first railroad in Ohio. He entertained very pronounced views on the Anti-slavery question.

Up to this time the district had never been represented by any one but a Democrat. With the election of 1858 the district was to see a change and a man who soon attained national prominence, because of his pronounced views was the next representative, James M. Ashley, of Toledo.

After Mr. Ashley had served the district four years, the state was reapportioned in 1862, and he was thrown into a new district. Ohio had nineteen districts and the fifth was composed of Allen, Auglaize, Van Wert, Mercer, Hardin, Wyandotte and Hancock.

Frances LeBlond, of Mercer county, served the new district from 1862 to 1866. Mr. LeBlond had previously served two terms in the lower house of the legislature and was the speaker of the body. He served the four years in Washington with great distinction and was active in the troublesome affairs incident to the great war. He was active as his Republican predecessor, and new colleague from another district. Mr. Ashley was on the Republican side. Mr. Blaine in his twenty years in congress characterized him as a leader on the Democratic side. Mr. LeBlond was born in Knox county in 1821, and died in Celina in 1904. He was quite active as a lawyer up 'till his death.

Wm. Mungen, of Hancock, served the district from 1866 to 1870. Mr. Mungen was a lawyer and was known as "Fiddling Bill." He had served one term as state senator prior to this time. In the convention of 1868 held at Wapakoneta, Hon. F. C. LeBlond was chairman and Mr. Mungen was renominated by acclamation.

In 1870 Chas. N. Lamison, of Lima, was nominated by the Democrats at Wapakoneta and elected. There were a large field of conditates and Mr. Lamison was named on the twenty-eighth ballot. Jas. White of Hardin, W. V. M. Layton, of Auglaize county, John Berry, of Wyandotte, Chas. P. Edson, of Van Wert, D. J. Callen, of Mercer, C. N. Lamison, Dr. H. Edson and T. E. Cunningham, of Allen, were candidates.

In 1872 Ohio was apportioned into twenty districts and the fifth was composed of Defiance, Paulding, Putnam, Van Wert, Allen, Auglaize, Mercer and Shelby. Mr. Lamison was given his customary second term. He was a Lima lawyer and served with distinction during the days of the money agitation and resumption. Mr. Lamison was born in Pensylvania in 1820. For years he was associated with Senator Brice in railway enterprises. He was a soldier in the Civil war and rose to the rank of colonel. He died a few years ago."

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DEEDS FILED.

Alta M. Cotner and husband to Elizabeth McCall, parcel of land in Shawnee township, $600.

John W. Isham to John Q. Adams, lot 3496 in the Briar Hill addition to Lima, $200.

John Schmersal and wife to William J. Steinle, lot in Marion township, $200.

John Ryan to W. E. Sullivan, part of lot 138 in Robb's addition to Lima, $500.

Delphos Foundry company to Chas. Steinle, lot 736 in Marion township, $150.

Same to William Reinemeyer, lot 728 in Marion township, $150.

Same to William Steinle, lot 648 in Marion township, $150.

Marie Reed and husband to Cora Leith, part of lot 32 in Barr addition to Lima, $900.

Thomas Maltbie and wife to Irvin Reed, one-third of an acre of land in Allen county, $26.

Lorinda Smith et al to Irvin Reed, 30 acres of land in Allen county, $1,200.

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THE JUDGMENT, HELL, HEAVEN

Concerning these subjects many people have great misconceptions, and against the first two subjects strong prejudices. This is usually due to one of two reasons; either the Biblical teaching on the subjects is misunderstood, or else they have not been thought through as fully as they deserve.

Next Sunday evening at the Market Street Presbyterian church, the Rev. Geo. B. Laird will begin a series of six sermons, two devoted to each one of these subjects. The object of these sermons will be to remove misconceptions and prejudices by giving the Biblical teachings concerning these subjects. The aim will be to make these sermons brief, crisp interesting and stimulating. The service begins at 7 and closes promptly at 8 o'clock. After the service you can reach home early in the evening. The public is invited.

WOULD SHOW UP CORRUPTION IN OHIO CANALS.

Columbus, Jan. 17.—In a resolution introduced Tuesday in the house by Rep. Frizell, Republican, of Dayton, he proposes the appointment of a committee to investigate the charges of inefficiency, misapplication of funds and corruption in the management of the state canals.

The News Cheap Want Column

The NEWS is the Want Medium of Lima

WANT COLUMN RATE.

Twenty words or less three consecutive times or less, 25 cents. One cent each additional word. Cash with the order. Call either 'phone 417.

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Employment Wants Free—To accommodate persons out of work the NEWS will publish free of charge "Situations Wanted" ads.

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WANTED.

WANTED—Old carpets to make new rugs. The Elgin Rug Man will make a shipment this week. New phone 919-A.

THREE YOUNG MEN to prepare for desirable positions in Government Service. Good salary. Fine opportunity for promotion. 2-12t

WANTED—A buyer for a good building lot on west North street; cheap, if sold within two weeks. Call 301 Opera House block, open evenings. tf

WANTED—To repair your old stoves. We carry repairs for all makes of stoves. Gasoline stoves repaired and guaranteed. Both phones. Pugsley & Cramer, 226 south Main street. New phone 1107-C, old phone 355 main.

WANTED—1,000 Feather beds wanted to renovate at one dollar each; we also buy old and new feathers for cash. The Capital Feather Co., 138 east Elm street. New phone No. 43. 2-3t*

WANTED—Experienced girl for second work in family of three. Large wages for one who is thoroughly competent. Apply at once at 640 west Market street. 5-3t*

WANTED—Situation as salesman or solicitor of any kind. Address 865 care DAILY NEWS office.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—National cash register No. 79, one electric motor or dinamo, 7½ horse power, made by general Electric Co. W. E. Rudy, 112-114 north Elizabeth street. 3-6t

PUBLIC SALE—4 miles east of Lima on Marion road, Thursday, January 18, 1906. All live stock, farming implements, vehicles, feed stuffs, etc. John A. Parker. Driver, Auctioneer. 3-3t*

FOR SALE—Bay horse ,weight about 1200. Inquire 627 west High street. 3-3t*

FOR SALE—68 acre farm, 4 miles from Lima, on good pike. Fair buildings. For further particulars see Hess and Co., Cahill block, corner Main and Spring. Both phones.

FOR SALE—Full dress suit. Cheap to any one it will fit. Call new phone 417 or 731. tf

FOR SALE—Copies of law regulating the payment of bills at boarding houses and hotels. A copy of these sections must be posted in each room of every hotel. Call at DAILY NEWS office.

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4-3t BANK OF LIMA.

DIRT FOR SALE.

The dirt to be excavated from the Boone lot, half block off Public Square on west Market street, where the New Orphium Theatre is to be erected, is for sale. Call or address.

4-3t BANK OF LIMA.

FOR SALE—All kinds of household goods: being the property of the late Milleretta Wheeler-Watson, deceased. Said goods having been ordered sold by the Probate Court, at private sale. For information call on W. H. Duffield, Administrator, Metropolitan Bank, or T. R. Hamilton, Attorney, Opern House Block. 5-3t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Property for sale or trade in all parts of the city and also houses for rent. See A. R. Webb at office at Deisel block, or at residence, 207 S. Elizabeth street. New phone. 5 e o d-6t*

FOR RENT—Desirable business property. Call at 208 north Union street. tf

FOR RENT—1 five room cottage, with barn, on north Jackson street near C., H. & D. shops. Enquire at 131 east Market street. 5-3t*

FOR RENT—21 acres of good land adjoining Southeast Lima for gardening or farming purposes for one season. N. L. Michael. 3-3

FOR RENT.

The brick livery barn just off the Public Square on Sugar alley, on rear of lot on which New Orphium Theatre is to be erected. Or owners will re-arrange same suitable for tin shop, carpenter shop or like purpose. Enquire at or address.

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LOST—Small purse containing about 2 dollars, between Lynde drug store and Pine street, on Market street. Finder return to this office and receive reward. 3-3t*

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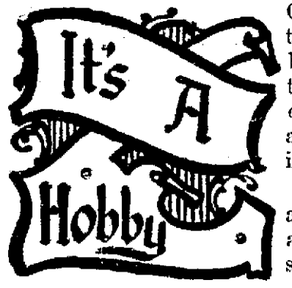

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AFTERNOON—
Wednesday Afternoon—Mrs. Lippencott.

EVENING—
1904 Euchre—Mr. and Mrs. Palmer.

CALENDAR FOR TOMORROW.

AFTERNOON—
Sappho—Mrs. C. A. Moore.
Thursday Afternoon Bridge—Mrs. Carl Fletcher.
Matinee Club—Miss Campbell.
Oneta—Mrs. Henry Blosser.

MEALS FOR TOMORROW.

—Breakfast—
Brewis with Chopped Dates and Cream.
Fish Hash. Toasted Rolls.
Coffee.

—Luncheon.—
Celery Ramequins.
Turkey and Cranberry Scallop.
Graham Wafers. Postum.
Nuts.

—Dinner.—
Jugged Soup.
English Olio of Duck.
Scalloped Sweet Potatoes in Tomato Sauce.
Macedoine Salad.
Baked Tart Apples. Cheese.
Coffee.

Turkey and Cranberry Scallop—For this dish use about three cupfuls of finely chopped left-over turkey and a generous cupful of cranberry sauce that has been run through the colander. Alternate these ingredients in a mold or small bowl, placing a layer of the sauce first. Use a compress set in a cold place till firm, then turn out onto a platter and serve.

English Olio of Duck—Bring to a simmer the left-over giblet gravy, then strain out the giblets and place them in a pint of veal gravy which has been highly seasoned with half a teaspoonful of salt, a quarter as much pepper, three shakes of cayenne and a tablespoonful of minced shallots. Cut the roast duck into large dice, sufficient to make about a quart, and lay in the veal gravy; simmer until heated through, then squeeze a bitter orange into the mixture. Skim off the pieces of duck and arrange them on bread croutons; strain the gravy over and send to the table smoking hot.

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Mrs. B. Baumgardner, of Cole street, has been ill for the past two weeks.

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Henry Michael, of Canton, was in Lima, on business, yesterday.

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Mrs. Charles Stagman, of west Market street, will entertain the members of the Bay View Circle, the Ladies' Duplicate Whist and the Spinet club at cards, on Friday afternoon.

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AFTERNOON RECEPTION.

Yesterday afternoon from two until six the Ladies' Aid Society of the Trinity M. E. church received fully one hundred and seventy-five of their friends at the home of Mrs. Richard Ebersole, of north Pierce street. The house was very beautifully decorated with pink and white carnations.

Mrs. Ebersole, together with Mrs. Joseph Avann, the wife of the minister, and Miss Ireland, the deaconess, were in the receiving line, while assisting throughout the parlors were Mrs. Frank Butters, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Wallace Landis, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Glenn Wallace, Mrs. Crist, Mrs. Wager, Mrs. Walter Booth, Mrs. Regan, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Light, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Gilles, Mrs. Castle, Mrs. Lynde, Mrs. Louthan, Mrs. Oliphant, Mrs. McNairy, Mrs. Lippencott, Mrs. Hughes, and Mrs. Pinkham.

Throughout the afternoon the guests were entertained with musical selections given by Mrs. Oliphant, Miss Winifred Hover, Miss Yvonne Ebersole, Miss Davis and Miss Badeau.

In the dining room, which was very pretty with decorations of pink carnations and softly shaded candles, ice cream and cake were served by Misses Cora Baker, Edith Kahle, Evelyn Booth, Winifred Hover and Yvonne Ebersole.

In an alcove, coffee and wafers were served with Miss C. Catherine Mowery presiding.

The afternoon was a most delightful one and the ladies are to be congratulated upon the success of their undertaking.

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MASONS WILL DANCE.

Yourself and Lady are respectfully invited to attend a
Reception
given by Lima Lodge No. 205, F. & A. M.,
at fourth floor Masonic Building.
Wednesday evening, January the seventeenth, 1906, at eight o'clock.
Dancing.

In response to the above invitations many guests will dance at the Masonic Hall this evening.

Elaborate preparations have been made to make the affair one of particular social brilliancy and several musical and literary numbers have been provided.

After the close of the program, dancing will be indulged in the remainder of the evening.

No banquet will be served but coffee, wafers and frappe will refresh the dancers.

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ANOTHER KNOT TIED.

Tuesday evening, Mr. George R. Muntis and Miss Zelpha Stoner went to Epworth parsonage and Rev. Clay said the words that made them husband and wife, only a few intimate friends being witnesses to the happy event. The newly wedded couple will live at 1138 east High street.

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Rev. Figley, of Van Wert, was in the city yesterday.

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Miss Anna Wahmhoff, of Delphos, was a guest here, yesterday.

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Miss Baird, Miss Taft and Miss Lois Baird, of Spencerville, attended the basket ball game last evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Weot went to New Reigal, O., in response to a telegram announcing the death of the latter's youngest brother.

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Mike Sullivan, of Toledo, was in Lima, yesterday, calling on old friends.

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Prof. Mark Evans, of Van Wert, was a business visitor in our city, yesterday.

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Mrs. John Roby is the guest of friends in Alliance.

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TWO CLUBS ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. Creps, of Bellefontaine avenue, entertained both the Spinet and the Ancient clubs at cards, yesterday afternoon. The house was decorated with immense pink carnations and palms and presented a pleasing appearance.

The guest prize, a bunch of beautiful red roses, was given to Mrs. Williams, and Mrs. Paul Agerter secured the club prize, a water color picture.

Aside from the club members a number of guests were present. A luncheon consisting of
Escalloped Potatoes Rolls.
Chicken Salad. Escalloped Oysters.
Pickles. Olives.
Ice Cream. Fruit Cake.
Coffee.
was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. Sullivan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mills will entertain friends at cards on Friday evening.

SWELL DANCE

AT THE AUDITORIUM THIS EVENING.

This is the night of Mr. Finley's big reception dance at the Auditorium. All members of the Wednesday and Saturday night classes are invited. Grand march and programs issued at 8:30. Music by Seldon's orchestra.

Four creditors of Charles J. Sevitz yesterday commenced an action in the Toledo courts to force Mr. Sevitz into voluntary bankruptcy. The petitioners are J. R. Watt, F. M. Watt, George Shrider and Maus Brothers, doing business as a partnership and Attorney Bentley left last evening to file the papers in the Toledo court. Defendant in this action lives in Lafayette, but has been operating an implement store on Central avenue in Lima for some time. A week ago he made an assignment. An appraisement of the property was made at once and showed up at about $7,000.

Owing to the fact that Mr. Sevitz is said to have been favoring some others, plaintiffs decided to start bankruptcy proceedings to prevent his leaving them in the lurch when a final settlement came. He is said to have given a mortgage or two which would come due today, hence considerable haste was necessary to get the bankruptcy papers in the Toledo court before the creditors holding his security could realize. Besides his property in Lima, Mr. Sevitz owns a farm near Lafayette and has other interests. His liabilities will probably be somewhat in excess of his assets.

NOTICE.

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A $15,000 stock of stylish garments--Women and Misses Suits, Coats, Skirts, Misses' and Children's Winter Coats, Fur Coats, Muffs and Scarfs, Women's Bath Robes, Sacques and Kimonas, Muslin Underwear for Women, Misses and Children, Corsets, Women's Waists, Etc.

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Mill End Sale--Women's Bath Robes, Kimonas, Dressing Sacques and wrappers

Our entire remaining stocks are included in this money-saving Sale. Note carefully price reductions.

Eiderdown bath robes, former price $8.75. **Mill End Sale Price $4.95.**

Eiderdown bath robes, former price $8.75. **Mill End Sale Price $4.25.**

Eiderdown bath robes, former price $6.75. **Mill End Sale Price $3.75.**

Eiderdown bath robes, former price $4.50. **Mill End Sale Price $3.25.**

Women's blanket bath robes, former price $10 **Mill End Sale Price $6.75.**

Women's blanket bath robes, former price $6.75. **Mill End Sale Price $4.98.**

Women's bath robes of German flannelette, former prices $3.95 and $3.25. **Mill End Sale Price $2.98**

Women's bath robes of German flannelette, former prices $4.75 and $4.50. **Mill End Sale Price $3.50**

Women's long kimonas of German flannelette, former sale prices $2.95, $2.75 and $2.50. **Mill End Sale Price $1.98.**

Women's long kimonas of German flannelette, former sale prices $1.50 and $2.50. **Mill End Sale Price $1.39**

Women's long kimonas, fleece lined materials, former prices $1.25 and $2.50. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Women's eiderdown sacques and kimonas, former prices $6.75 and $5.00. **Mill End Sale Price $3.98.**

Women's eiderdown sacques and kimonas, former price $3.25. **Mill End Sale Price $1.98.**

Women's eiderdown sacques and kimonas, former prices $2.95 and $2.75. **Mill End Sale Price $1.49.**

Women's eiderdown sacques and kimonas, former prices $2.25 and $1.95. **Mill End Sale Price $1.29.**

Women's eiderdown sacques, former prices $1.75 and $1.50. **Mill End Sale Price 98 cents.**

Women's eiderdown sacques, former prices $1.25 and 98c. **Mill End Sale Price 79 cents.**

Women's sacques and short kimonas, German flannelette, former prices $3.50 and $2.95. **Mill End Sale Price $1.98**

Women's sacques and short kimonas, German flannelette, former prices $2.75 and $2.25. **Mill End Sale Price $1.49**

Women's sacques and kimonas of fancy domet cloths former prices $1.95 and $1.75. **Mill End Sale Price 98c.**

Women sacques and short kimonas, fleece lined material, former prices $1.50 and $1.25. **Mill End Sale Price 89c.**

Women's sacques and short kimonas of fleece lined material, former prices 98c, 89c and 78c. **Mill End Sale Price 49c.**

Women's sacques of fleece lined material, former price 59c. **Mill End Sale Price $1.49.**

Women's fleece lined wrappers, former price $2.75. **Mill End Sale Price 29c.**

Women's fleece lined wrappers, former prices $1.95 and $2.25. **Mill End Sale Price $1.29.**

Women's fleece lined wrappers, former prices $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75. **Mill End Sale Price 98c.**

Women's fleece lined wrappers, former price $1. **Mill End Sale Price 82c.**

Women's fleece lined wrappers, former price 89c. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Mill End Sale--Women's Flannelette Gowns.

Women's flannelette night gowns, all high priced gowns, former prices $1.98, $1.75 and $1.50. **Mill End Sale Price 98c**

Women's outing flannel night gowns, former price $1.25. **Mill End Sale Price 89c.**

Women's outing flannel night gowns, former price $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Women's outing flannel night gowns, former price 89c. **Mill End Sale Price 49c.**

Children's outing flannel night gowns, values to 50c. **Mill End Sale Price 19c.**

Mill End Sale--Silk Petticoats, Sateen Petticoats, Knit Skirts.

Taffeta silk petticoats, black and colors, former price $12.50. **Mill End Sale Price $7.50.**

Taffeta silk petticoats, black and colors, former price $10. **Mill End Sale Price $5.75.**

Taffeta silk petticoats, black and colors, former price $7.50. **Mill End Sale Price $4.95.**

Taffeta silk petticoats, black and colors, former price $5.00. **Mill End Sale Price $3.75.**

Women's knit short skirts, former price 25c. **Mill End Sale Price 19c.**

Women's knit short skirts, all wool yarn, fancy border, former price 50c. **Mill End Sale price 39c.**

Women's all wool, knit short skirts, former prices $1.00 and $1.69. **Mill End Sale Price 79 cents.**

Sateen petticoats, black only, former price $2.98. **Mill End Sale Price $1.98.**

Sateen petticoats, black only, former price $2.98. **Mill End Sale Price $1.49**

Sateen petticoats, black only, former price $1.98. **Mill End Sale Price $1.29.**

Sateen petticoats, black and colors, former price $1.50. **Mill End Sale Price 98c.**

Sateen petticoats, black only, former price $1.25. **Mill End Sale Price 89c.**

Sateen petticoats, black only, former price $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Mill End Sale--Kabo and G. D. Corsets--Reduced Prices.

We place on sale several numbers of the well known Kabo and G. D. Corsets, styles that we wish to discontinue before the new spring styles arrive.

Kabo corsets, black, drab and white, four styles, former price $2.50. **Mill End Sale Price $1.48.**

Kabo corsets, one style, black, white and drab, former price $1.50. **Mill End Sale Price 89 cents.**

Kabo corsets, black, white and drab, one style, former price $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 69 cents.**

G. D. corsets, white only, one style, former price $1. **Mill End Sale Price 69 cents.**

Ferris waists for women, misses and children, former prices 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00 **Mill End Sale Prices 49c, 39c, 29c and 19c**

Mill End Sale--Women's Sweaters and Knit Coats.

Reduced in Price For Final Clearance.

Knit blouses, former price $4.50, white and colors. **Mill End Sale Price $2.98.**

Knit blouses, former price $3.98, white and colors. **Mill End Sale Price $2.48.**

Knit blouses, former price $2.75, white and colors. **Mill End Sale Price $1.98.**

Knit coats, former price $4.50, white and colors. **Mill End Sale Price $2.98.**

Knit coats, former price $6.75, white and colors. **Mill End Sale Price $3.98.**

Knit coats, former price $7.50, white and colors. **Mill End Sale Price $4.49.**

Children's Muslin Underwear

Children's cambric drawers, sizes 2 to 8 years, hemstitched ruffle. **Mill End Sale Price 10c.**

Children's cambric drawers, sizes 6 to 8 years, lace edged ruffle. **Mill End Sale Price 12 1-2c.**

Children's cambric drawers, sizes 6 to 8 years, embroidered edges, ruffle. **Mill End Sale Price 15c.**

Misses' cambric drawers, sizes 10 to 12, wide flounce of embroidery. **Mill End Sale Price 19c.**

Children's cambric skirts, 2 to 8 years, torchon lace edge.

Children's gingham aprons, slip-over style, sizes 2 to 10 years. **Mill End Sale Price 19c.**

Maids' aprons of white India linon, pocket narrow hemmed ruffle. **Mill End Sale Price 10c.**

Mill End Sale--Muslin Underwear at a Great Saving

Women's night gowns, many styles, former price 75c. **Mill End Sale Price 59c.**

Women's night gowns, many styles, former price $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Women's night gowns, many styles, former price $1.25. **Mill End Sale Price 89c.**

Women's night gowns, former price $1.50. **Mill End Sale Price 98c.**

Women's night gowns, former price $2.00. **Mill End Sale Price $1.25.**

Women's night gowns, former price $2.75. **Mill End Sale Price $1.49.**

Women's night gowns, former price $3.75. **Mill End Sale Price $2.98.**

WHITE SKIRTS.

Women's white skirts, many styles, former price $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 69c.**

Women's white skirts, many styles, former price $1.25. **Mill End Sale Price 89c.**

Women's white skirts, many styles, former price $1.75. **Mill End Sale Price 98c.**

Women's white skirts that formerly sold up to $2.00 **Mill End Sale Price $1.79.**

Women's white skirts that formerly sold up to $3.75 **Mill End Sale Price $1.98.**

Women's white skirts that formerly sold up to $5.00 **Mill End Sale Price $2.75.**

Women's white skirts that formerly sold up to $7.50 **Mill End Sale Price $3.98.**

Women's White Short Skirts

Women's white short skirts, formerly sold 59c. **Mill End Sale Price 39c.**

Women's white short skirts, formerly sold 75c. **Mill End Sale Price 49c.**

Women's white short skirts, formerly sold $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Chemise

Women's chemise, former price $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 59c.**

Women's chemise, former price $1.25. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Women's chemise, former price $1.50. **Mill End Sale Price 89c.**

Women's chemise, former price $1.75. **Mill End Sale Price 98c.**

Women's chemise, former price $2.50. **Mill End Sale Price $1.98.**

Corset Covers

Corset covers, several styles, former price 25 cents. **Mill End Sale Price 15c.**

Corset covers, several styles, former price 39 cents. **Mill End Sale Price 25c.**

Corset covers, several styles, former price 50 cents. **Mill End Sale Price 39c**

Corset covers, several styles, former price 75 cents. **Mill End Sale Price 49c.**

Corset covers, former prices to $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 69c**

Corset covers, former prices up to $1.25. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Drawers

Women's drawers, former prices 25c and 35c. **Mill End Sale Price 19c.**

Women's drawers, former prices 50c and 59c. **Mill End Sale Price 29c.**

Women's drawers, former prices 75c and $1.00. **Mill End Sale Price 49c.**

Women's drawers, former prices $1.50 and $1.75. **Mill End Sale Price 79c.**

Women's drawers, former prices $2.25, 2.75 and $3.00. **Mill End Sale Price 98c.**

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SOUTH SIDE

Interesting Happenings In This Part of the City.

Some one broke in front [illegible] the corner of Main [illegible] and stole a coat [illegible] The theft did [illegible] but the loss of the person, who owns the building will [illegible] some $30 The [illegible] have been [illegible]

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R V Boone, [illegible] Lima, who [illegible] yesterday at the county hospital [illegible] of the patients having sustained some bruises by a fall [illegible] with an accident east of the city The coupling pin of his buggy broke and frightened his horse which whirled and throwing the Doctor out, came back to the city at break-neck speed The Doctor was only slightly hurt

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Card of Thanks.

Conductor and Mrs C H Swift desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who were so kind and sympathetic in their recent bereavement, the death of their dear little son, Harry Theodore, also to Rev. Clay and all who assisted in the last rites

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Birthday Surprise.

A few friends of Miss Lulu Gantz, of west Circular street most pleasantly surprised her at her home and passed an enjoyable evening in music games and social conversation, the hostess receiving a number of gifts An excellent luncheon was served The guests were Miss Laura Fawcett Miss Flora Kline, Miss Hattie Workman, Miss Bessie Stuckey, Miss Eastman, Chas Duggan, Guy Hennon and Mr White.

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The seventy-fifth birthday anniversary of Stephen C Reed, of south Main, was celebrated by a big family supper last evening.

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Mrs J. L. Kemper, of south Elizabeth, is again numbered with the sick.

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Mr and Mrs Samuel Mack and two daughters, of Spencerville, returned home yesterday, after a visit of several days with their son, Harley, and wife west Kibby

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Mr. and Mrs Harry Miller, Mr and Mrs Amos Keller, Mr. and Mrs F M Lansdown, Mrs John Lansdown and Thos. Thompson spent Sunday with the John May and Forest Bowers families in Beaver township.

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Mrs Fred Calvert, of west Kibby street went to Vigor yesterday

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Little Miss Kathryn Dilger was honored at the home of her aunt, Mrs F C Ring, north Elizabeth street Sunday evening, when a crowd of sixteen little folks paid their respects to the wee Miss upon her 5th birthday anniversary and bestowed gifts Refreshments were served, a handsome birthday cake being a most attractive feature

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the great system tonic and builder

CULP CASE AGAIN.

It is stated that the Culp will case is to be brought to trial again some time in the next term of court Plaintiffs lost in the first trial, the jury being unable to reach an agreement

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A PURE AUSTRALIAN BALLOT.

[illegible] Australian ballot system [illegible] have been in [illegible] from the [illegible] Prior to the adoption of the Australian ballot system in this country it was necessary to make concessions to politicians who were looking for every reform [illegible] to do without emblems at the heads of columns reserved for their candidates They insisted upon the simplest means of voting a straight ticket.

The real Australian ballot, as used in Massachusetts and a few other parts of the United States makes it impossible to vote a straight party ticket with only one easy pencil cross The choice of a candidate for every office has to be made with some care All the names are arranged alphabetically There is no chance for juggling for positions on the ballot Opposite every candidate's name is the name of his party He can be identified in that way by voters who are careless of individual qualifications and devoted to political organizations

[illegible] of [illegible] to non-partisan [illegible] of a [illegible] to non-partisan [illegible] to [illegible] and individual [illegible] at the polls Not [illegible] such [illegible] rendered [illegible]

It will be seen that any one who can distinguish one name from another, or even make out the name of his party can readily vote for its candidates, to the last man, if he cares to do so But the natural effect is to promote freedom of individual choice and discrimination between candidates That is what the best thought of the best citizenship of Australia desires

The same form of ballot in effect, can be obtained in voting machines, which insure perfect accuracy of counting, give entire secrecy, and make it possible to ascertain the result of an election almost the hour the polls close That is the probable ultimate form of election processes in the United States—Cleveland Leader

THE UNDER DOG.

American sympathy is proverbially with the under dog in a fight The correctness of this proverbial view is open to challenge One need not go to the other extreme and say with foreign critics that the American worships success, or try to reconcile the two views by saying that our sympathies are with the vanquished and our plaudits are for the conqueror The American is eager to learn the facts in the case The Yankee "wants to know," the Missourian "must be shown" If in the past the under dog had the larger share of sympathy it was because the power of oppression and misrule was usually on top But times have changed The right is winning battles The forces that make for civilization, for progress, for ultimate human happiness, are triumphing all along the line The under dog is getting little sympathy now because he generally deserves little The plaintive appeal of the beaten meets with a request for the facts

Success wins approval in America as everywhere else in the world But instead of being the infatuated worshippers of everything bearing the name of success, we want to know, we want some one to show us Money is not success Perhaps in no other country in the world are there so few people to envy the lot of a millionaire who does not add the worth of a man to the worth of his dollars Of the rich men whose domestic or financial affairs have recently brought them before the public gaze there have been few indeed for whom either admiration or envy has been felt Success of one kind they have achieved, but few would care to have it at the price they paid and few pity them when trouble comes There are millionaires who have the admiration and affection of the people but character, not financial success, is the reason there are men who have failed in everything they ever undertook who have made the world happier by their presence In the clash of armies at the other side of the globe, or in the struggle between the different forces in a nation in transition, neither the weaker side nor the stronger has our sympathy by reason of its strength or its weakness Neither success nor defeat alters our view of the right Proverbs are the wisdom of many but the proverb about the under dog needs revision —Chicago Tribune

HEALTH

Boards of the State of Ohio

WILL MEET IN COLUMBUS TOMORROW — SPECIAL RATES GRANTED BY RAILROADS.

The Sixteenth Annual meeting of the State and Local Boards of Health will be held in Columbus, January 18 and 19, 1906 A cordial invitation to attend is extended to members of board of health, health officers and all others connected with the health service or interested in public hygiene Every city, village and township should send at least one delegate and pay his expenses It is a benefit to every citizen of Ohio that the health service should be kept up to the highest possible efficiency More than 300 delegates were present at the last meeting and the attendance should be much larger this year

The "Question Box" will afford an opportunity for the discussion of subjects not on the program. Questions ought to be carefully framed and sent to the secretary of the state board of health in advance of the meeting

The proceedings and discussions are to be printed entire and all those in attendance will receive copies which may be studied more leisurely at home

All sessions will be held in the board of trade auditorium on Broad street, near High

Railroad Rates.

A rate of one and one-third fare has been secured on all railroads This is on the certificate plan You should have your railroad agents give you a certificate, on a form furnished by the Central Passenger Association of having paid full fare to Columbus The ticket for the return trip will then be sold you for one third the full fare Do not neglect the certificate, as this is the only way to secure the reduced rate At the time the certificates are issued the special agent of the Central Passenger Association will collect from the holder of each certificate twenty-five cents to pay the expense of the agents in attending the meeting

First Session

Thursday, Jan. 18, 10.30 a. m.

1 Relation of the Public to Boards of Health—Dr D C Chapman, president state board of health Toledo

2 Car Sanitation—Dr John N Hurty, secretary state board of health of Indianapolis, Indiana

Discussion

Question Box

Second Session.

Thursday Jan. 18, 1.45 p. m.

1 Healthy Laws Hon Wade H Ellis attorney general, Columbus

Discussion

2 The prevention of Venereal Diseases—Dr F C Valentine, New York City

Discussion

3. Examination of School Children—Dr Frank Allport, Chicago

Discussion

Question Box

Third Session.

1 Ideals in Sanitation—Dr Josiah Hartzell, member state board of health Canton

Discussion

2 Infection and Immunity in Disease—Dr A M Bleile professor of physiology, Ohio State University Columbus

Discussion

Discussion

3 How to Build a Healthy Home—Mr Frank L. Packard, Architect Columbus

Columbus

Question Box

Fourth Session.

Friday, Jan 19, 8:30 a. m

1 Training no Qualifications of a Health Officer—Dr John M Buckingham, health officer, Springfield

Discussion

2 Milk as a Carrier of Infection—Dr W W Brand, health officer Toledo

Discussion

3 Sanitary Requirements of Dairies—Dr McKendree Smith health officer, Columbus

Discussion

Question Box

Several weeks ago the storage house of this same company, north of Muncie was robbed The Ridgeville bank was blown next day and Hagerstown very soon afterwards

NOTICE REDMEN.

Warriors and Chiefs are requested to be present at their wigwam Thursday evening Jan 18, for degree work and team practice

SACHEM

FITZSIMMONS WILL FORSAKE THE RING

[illegible] Stock Exchange [illegible] New York

The prize fighter declared that he never had the slightest intention of [illegible] dancing [illegible] Charles Mc[illegible] of Frankfort [illegible] $100,000

CASSIE WORKS BUTTONHOLES

Columbus, Jan 17—Miss Cassie Chadwick who has been too weak to work for the past few days, and who had been confined in the hospital at the female department of the penitentiary begin her duties with the other women convicts today She was set to work with the needle making buttonholes in shirts

WINE

Was Served in Beer Glasses

AND VIRGINIA EARL SAYS SHE DRANK MOST OF IT—CANTIN GIVEN A DIVORCE.

New York, Jan 17—Admitting that she was the one who drank most of the champagne mentioned at midnight suppers complained of in Eugene Cantin's suit for divorce from his wife, Virginia Earl, the actress, was the star witness for the defense today before Judge Dickey in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn

Several bellboys, including one of the name of Ryan, told of many midnight wine suppers in Mrs Cantin's room in the Vendome Hotel, where she lived after her separation from her husband Others in the party were Miss Earl, Harry M Moses, an auctioneer, and Dr Conland, now serving a sentence in Sing Sing prison The festivities were frequent and lasted to late hours

Ryan testified to serving much champagne which he said the quartet drank out of beer glasses

Miss Earl, in her friend's behalf tried to assume most of the blame She said that in private life she is Mrs Fanny Lawton a divorced woman

"After my theatrical performances, she said, I always had my supper, and usually took it with friends in Mrs Cantins rooms I always had something to drink of course"

"Who drank the most at your suppers? asked Judge Dickey

Why I did I guess"

How much generally?

Oh, about a quart of wine usually"

Never a quart?"

Well, if I was flush I'd have a quart"

Miss Earl added that Mrs Cantin drank but very little, and never was intoxicated

Mrs Cantin is a middle-aged woman and is lame

After two hours of deliberation the jury brought in a verdict in favor of Mr Cantin

OIL MARKET.

Pennsylvania	$1 58
Pennsylvania (second sand)	1 58
Plona	1 68
New Castle	1 35
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Cabell, (W Va)	1 18
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Indiana	89
Kansas	.52
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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system [illegible] the foundations [illegible] and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure Send for list of testimonials

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Marie Rader, whose place of residence is unknown will take notice that on the 5th day of January A D, 1906, the plaintiff, Charles H Rader filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas Allen County, Ohio, being case number 12561 Praying therein for a divorce from said Marie Rader on the ground of wilful absence for a period of more than three (3) years last past Said defendant is required to answer on or before the 16th day of February, 1906

CHARLES H RADER

By C F Fess His Attorney

NOTICE OF SALE.

The Building known as the Jerchi Manufacturing Building on Vine St will be sold to the highest responsible bidder

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids

Bids will be received at the office of the Board of Public Service until twelve (12) o'clock (noon) of Jan 20th 1906

L L Crumrine, Clerk

By Order of the Board

Dated, Jan 9th, 1906

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Martha E Spahs, Plaintiff, vs Amos Hetzler, Defendant

Before J W Mowen, J P Ottawa Township, Allen county Ohio

On the 28th day of December A D 1905, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above action for the sum of Seven and fifty one hundreths ($7 50) dollars

MARTHA E SPAHS

By C F Bryan, her Attorney

Lima, Ohio Dec 29, 1905 3-3t

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Charles J Seitz, of Herring P O. Allen County, Ohio, by the Probate Court of said Allen County, Ohio

LEWIS H ROGERS

Assignee

Office 415 Opera House Block Lima Ohio Jan 9 4wk

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Creamery butter per lb	28@30
Country Butter	14@17
Eggs per doz	25@28
Lard Per lb	7½@8
Bacon per lb	10@12
Spring Chickens per lb	.7@8
Chickens per lb	8@8½
Ducks per lb	6@7
Turkey, per lb	13@14
Turkey, dressed, per lb	18@22
Wheat new	78
Wheat old	77
Corn per bu	60
New Corn	38@40
Oats old per bu	30@32
Oats new per bu	25
Hungarian	1 00@1 25
Millet	90@1 00
Clover Seed per bu	7 60@8 00
Timothy Seed	3 00@2 40
Timothy Hay choice	9 00@9 50
Veal Calves	5 00
Cow per cwt	2 00@3 00
Heifers per cwt	3 25@4 00
Steers per cwt	3 25@4 00
Hogs, rough	4 00@4 50
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East Bound.

*No. 8 New York Express 3:55 a m
xNo. 22 Marion and Columbus Accommodation...8:21 a m
*No. 4 New York and Boston Vestibuled Limited 5:05 p m
xNo. 14 Wells Fargo Ex...9:45 p m
*No. 10 Chautaqua and Buffalo Limited.....10:43 p m

West Bound.

*No. 7 Chicago Express..12:35 a m
*No. 9 Chicago Limited .. 1:33 a m
xNo. 21 Chicago Accom....8:42 a m
*No. 3 Chicago Vestibuled Limited .....11:47 a m
xNo. 13 Wells Fargo Ex....4:41 p m

*—Daily.
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GREAT CENTRAL.

Time Card in effect Sunday June 25.

No.	SOUTH BOUND.
7	leaves daily .....3:00 a. m.
11	leaves daily, except Sun 5:35 a. m.
1	leaves daily, ...9:30 a. m.
5	leaves daily .....12:40 p. m.
6	leaves daily .....4:15 p. m.
9	leaves daily ..... 6:05 p. m.
13	arrives daily, ex. Sun ..8:45 p. m
65	leaves Sunday only ....7:13 a. m
No.	NORTH BOUND.
12	leaves daily .....2:05 a. m.
14	leaves daily ex Sun.... 5:30 a. m
14,	leaves daily .....5:30 a. m
2	leaves daily ex. Sun.....8:00 a. m
8	leaves daily .....11:55 a. m.
4	leaves daily .....4:30 p. m.
8	leaves daily .....7:25 p. m
10	arrives, ex. Sun.....9:45 p. m.
66	arrives Sunday only ..7:43 a. m
68	arrives Sunday only ...9:55 p. m

L. E. & W. R. R.

East Bound.

No. 8 leaves daily ex. Sun at..8 a. m.
No. 4 leaves daily ex. Sun 12:28 p. m.
No. 2 leaves daily at.....5:55 p. m.
No. 10 leaves Sun only at..8:05 a. m.

West Bound.

No. 3 leaves daily ex. Sun at..5 a. m.
No. 1 leaves daily.....9:58 a. m.
No. 5 leaves da. ex Sun. at.4:18 p. m.
No. 7 arrives ex. Sun. at..7:55 p. m.
No. 9 leaves Sunday only..9:20 p. m.

Trains No. 1, 2, 4, and 5 carry Parlor and Cafe Cars.

D. T. & I. R. R.

Change of Time on the D. T. & I Railway. Effectiv Sunday, Oct. 8th Passenger trains will leave Wayne street station

GOING SOUTH.

No. 1. Ar. 2:32p. m. Dep. 2:45 p m.—Daily Except Sunday.

No. 3. 7:40 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

GOING NORTH.

No 2. 1:05 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

No. 4. *8:32 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

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No. 3 and 4 will run between Napoleon and Bainbridge, O.

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	North.	South
Lima	3:30	9:30
Gomer	3:18	9:13
Jones City	3:27	9:0
Beitz	3:33	8:50
Elida	A3:40	L8:35
	L3:50	A8:25
Donington	3:50	8:15
*Leon	4:06	8:06
Continental	A4:18	L7:56
	L4:33	A7:45
*Rice	4:45	7:36
*Southerton	4:53	7:26
Defiance	5:10	7:10

* Flag Stations.

HOURS OF CLOSING MAILS AT LIMA POSTOFFICE

EAST.

C. & E. Ry.—Alger and Harrod	8:00 a.m
P. Ft. W. & C.	12:30 a.m
C. & E. Ry	3:00 a.m
P Ft. W & C. Ry	5:10 a.m
L. E. & W. Ry.—Bluffton, Findlay, Rawson, Mt. Cory	7:40 a.m
L. E. & W. Ry	12.15 p.m
F. F. W. & C. Ry	2:00 p.m
C. & E. Ry	4 00 p.m.
Findlay	5:15 p m
F. F. W. & C. Ry	6:30 p m
F. F. W. & C. Ry	9:15 p m

WEST.

F. F. W & C. Ry	12:30 a.m
C. & E. Ry	12:30 a.m.
Cridersville, Anna Botkins	5:00 a.m.
Detroit Southern Ry	5.00 a.m
C., H. & D. Ry	8:20 a m
C., H. & D. Ry	12:15 p m.
L. E. & W. Ry	3:30 a.m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry	9:00 a m.
P. F. W. & C Ry	10:00 a m.
L. E. & W. Ry	9:30 a.m
C. & E. Ry	11:00 a.m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry	2:50 p.m.
St. Marys and Celina	3:50 p.m
P. F. W. & C. Ry	4:30 p.m.

NORTH.

C., H. & D. Ry	12:30 a.m.
Col. Grove, Ottawa, Toledo	7:40 a.m
Detroit & Southern Ry	10:30 a.m.
C., H. & D. Ry	11:30 a.m.
C., H. & D. Ry	3:50 p.m.

SOUTH.

C., H. & D. Ry	12:30 a m.
Detroit Southern Ry	5:00 a.m.
Wapakoneta, Sidney and Cincinnati	2.50 a.m.

THE WESTERN OHIO RAILWAY TIME CARD.

RAILWAY Co

In effect Dec. 10th, 1905.

Limited Trains leave Lima, O., south-bound, stopping at Wapakoneta, Sidney, Piqua, Troy, Tippecanoe City at 8:35 A. M., 11:35 A. M., 2:35, 5:35 and 8:35 P. M.

North-bound Limited Trains leave Dayton for Lima at 5:20, 8:20 and 11.20 A. M., 2:20 and 5:20 P. M.

This service consists of the elegant parlor cars "Harriet," "Jonathan," and "Miami," with movable library chairs, handsomely furnished and neatly fitted up throughout.

From the business portion of Lima to the business portion of Dayton in two and one-half hours, without change of cars. The fastest trolley service in the world. This service affords a clean, comfortable ride, with entire freedom from dust, smoke and cinders. Baggage carried on all limited trains.

In addition to this limited service The Western Ohio Railroad Company operates cars serving the following cities and towns: Wapakoneta, Botkins, Anna, Sidney, Swanders, Lockington, Piqua, Moulton, St. Marys, Celina, New Bremen and Minster.

First car leaves Lima 6:13 A. M. and every hour there after until 8:13 P. M. The 10:13 P. M. car to St. Marys only. The 11:40 P. M. car to Wapakoneta only.

The first car leaves Piqua at 6:35 A. M. and every hour there after until 7:35 P. M. Also at 9:35 P. M. The 11:30 P. M. car to Wapakoneta only.

Cars leave Celina for Lima, making connections at St. Marys for New Bremen and Minster; also making direct connections at Wapakoneta for Botkins, Swanders, Sidney, Lockington, Piqua at 6:00 A. M., and every hour thereafter until 8:00 P. M. Last car, Celina for Lima at 10 P. M.

Cars leave St. Marys for New Bremen and Minster at 5:10 A. M. and every hour and a half thereafter until 10:30 P. M. Last car from Minster to St. Marys at 11:07 P. M.

No excess fare on Limited Trains to through points, providing tickets are purchased before entering the car.

Special Sunday excursion rates good going and returning same date from all points. Full information from all agents of

The Western Ohio Railway Co.

LIMA- FINDLAY DIVISION.

Cars leave Lima for Beaver Dam Bluffton, Mt. Cory, Rawson and Findlay, commencing at 6:05 o'clock a m. and every two hours until 10:06 p m, connecting at Findlay with cars for Bowling Green, Cygnet, North Baltimore, Maumee, Detroit and Toledo and intermediate stations on the Toledo, Bowling Green & Southern Traction; also with cars for Fostoria Arcadia, Bradner, Tiffin, Rising Sun Pemberville and intermediate points on the Toledo, Fostoria & Findlay Ry. Co. The Lima Limiteds due at Lima at 8:00 a m. and 2.00 p. m connect with Lima-Findlay cars, which land passengers in Findlay in time to catch the Toledo Limited on the T., B. G & S which reaches Toledo at 11:16 a m and 5.46 p. m respectively At Toledo connection is made for Detroit, Port Huron Jackson, Battle Creek and other Michigan towns, as well as Port Clinton, Sandusky City, Cleveland and points on the Lake Shore Electric Ry.

By the opening of the Lima-Findlay Division, the public is enabled to purchase at any electric railway ticket office in the three states named Baggage can also be checked through to any destination.

WILL E. SHOOK.

BARBER SHOP.
SPECIAL INTEREST GIVEN TO CHILDREN'S HAIR DRESSING.
121 EAST HIGH ST.

THE INTERURBAN UNION FREIGHT HOUSE,

located north of Wayne St., between Central Ave., and L. E. & W. Ry., will be open on and after Monday, Dec. 11th, from

6:30 A. M. to 5:00 P. M.

Two fast freight trains daily, except Sundays, leaving Lima at 6:55 A. M., and 12:40 P. M.

Consignments on the 6:55 A. M Train Will Reach

Wapakoneta	7:45 A. M
Moulton	8:33 A. M
St. Marys	8:50 A. M
New Bremen	9:35 A. M
Minster	10: A. M
Celina	11:30 A. M

and shipments from any of the above mentioned cities will arrive in the Union Freight Station at Lima at 5:20 A. M.

Consignments on the 12:40 car will reach

Wapak at	1:30 P. M
Botkins	2:15 P. M
Anna	2:30 P. M.
Sidney	2:50 P. M.
Piqua	3:35 P. M.
Troy	4:20 P. M.
Tip. City	4:30 P. M.
Dayton	5:00 P. M.
Springfield	6:00 P. M.

Eaton and West Alexandria, O., and Richmond, Ind. before 10:00 A. M. the following morning.

Express packages at express rates to Hamilton, Cincinnati and Columbus and way stations every two hours after 7:15 A. M.

Full information regarding rates to many other interurban points can be secured by the use of Bell Phone 152—2 rings and New Phone 199—2 rings.

LEASE

Of C., H. and D. and P. M.

Ordered Suspended By Judge Lurton Yesterday

PROPERTIES WILL NOW BE OPERATED SEPARATELY.

PROTEST AGAINST THE PRESENT FORM OF MILEAGE BOOK IS BECOMING NATIONAL IN SCOPE.

Upon application of Walter B. Horn who brought the Receivership proceedings against the C., H. and D., an order was made yesterday by Circuit Judge Horace H. Burton, of Nashville, Tenn., sitting in the Court of Appeals, for Receiver Judson Harmon not to adopt the Pere Marquette lease. He is ordered to relinquish possession of the leasehold estate and the property devised by the lease to Judge Harmon as the Receiver also of the Pere Marquette Railroad Company, together with the shares of stock of the latter received by the C., H .and D. in pursuance of the lease. It is stated that this order is made without prejudice to the question of the reliability of the lease or its binding obligation as between the two railroad companies.

The complainant Horn, who is represented by Attorney Lawrence Maxwell, contends that if Receiver Harmon, of the C, H and D., adopts the lease, it will impose an annual charge upon the Receivership of upward of $750,000; that the lease is unprofitable and burdensome, and that its adoption will be to the disadvantage of all of the creditors of the C., H. and D.

Attached to the petition is a statement as to what will be the probable cost to the Receiver of the C., H. and D. by complying with the terms of the Pere Marquette lease. The statement was prepared by Comptroller L. S. Kramer for the Receiver, and is as follows:

Earnings and operating expenses of the Pere Marquette for the eight months from March 1 to October 1, 1905.

EARNINGS.	
Freight	$6,413,521.96
Passenger	2,270,568.07
Mail	162,750.99
Express	156,142.17
Miscellaneous	9,369.18
Total	$9,012,352.66
OPERATING EXPENSES.	
Maintenance of way and structure	$1,117,673.61
Maintenance of equipment	1,175,750.98
Conducting of transportation	4,001,078.20
General expenses	278,047.60
Total	$6,602,555.54
Net earnings	$2,409,797.12
Other income	159,661.13
Total net income for eight months	$2,569,458.25

Comptroller Kramer says the eight months above mentioned are generally considered the most favorable ones of the year, as they eliminate the operations of the winter months, when the percentage of operating expenses to earnings is unusually high, and when the earnings are not so good on account of the inability to move traffic as freely. He says that he takes the earnings of these eight months as a basis, with the suggestion that the average gross earnings per month for the present calendar year are likely to be less rather than greater than the average for the eight months above mentioned.

On the basis of the actual earnings and operating expenses for the above mentioned eight months, the net income for 12 months, exclusive of all interest charges, rentals, taxes and other payments called for by the Pere Marquette lease, will be $3,854,187.36.

The following sums, not included in the last mentioned estimated net income, will be payable annually by the C., H. and D. to the Pere Marquette: Interest on Pere Marquette bonded debt, exclusive of $3,500,000 issued in connection with C., C. and L. Railroad stock transaction, $2,480,880, interest on Pere Marquette demand notes of $590,000 outstanding October 31 last $29,000; rentals payable by P. M., $653,432.40; taxes, $536,000; guaranteed rental per annum to be paid on P. M. common per annum to be paid on outstanding stock, $578,765.50, loss in operation of Pere Marquette Steamship Company, per annum, based on deficit for 10 months ending October 30, 1905, $228,799.05; deducting the estimate net income for the year, $3,854,187.36, shows a loss of $7,527,528.62. In addition to this there is also payable annually the sum of $484,000 on equipment bonds.

Comptroller Kramer says that while the payments are provided for under the P M refunding mortgage of January 2, 1905, securing $60,000,000 four-per-cent gold bonds, it seems likely that the C., H and D. will have to provide the money, owing to the uncertain market for Pere Marquette junior securities.

There is now pending a suit involving the Michigan railroad tax law, which, if upheld, will render due on account of back taxes upward of $600,000.

The annual loss in the operation of the C., C. and L. lease, based on the four months ending October 31, 1905, was $397,160.52.

Receiver Harmon was called upon to show cause, if any existed, why the Pere Marquette lease should be adopted. He says that, being Receiver of the lessor company as well as of the lease, he feels that he is not in a position to advise the Court impartially in the matter. He says he believes the figures given by the Comptroller are correct.

Judge Harmon stated yesterday that as he was Receiver of both roads he could not be a judge in the matters at issue. "If," he said, "the lease is bad for the C., H. and D., then, as receiver for the Pere Marquette, I would consider it good for that property."

Profit at Public's Expense.

Philadelphia, Jan. 17.—Already the officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad are viewing the increasing spirit of the business and traveling men with growing concern, and it is learned that some change in the mileage book system is now under consideration. What form this will take has not yet been decided, but it is certain that those who are behind the movement will not be content with any meager concession, but will continue to fight for a two-cent flat rate or else a mileage book governed by the same rules as those made by the Reading Railway.

Commendatory letters continue to pour into the Merchants' and Travelers' Association. One of these, received from W. H. Detwiler & Co., of Lebanon, is illustrative of the sentiment which has entered into the fight. It says:

"From the moment the Pennsylvania refused to sell us a mileage book which could be used by any member of the firm or any of our traveling men we have ceased dealing with that company. We have diverted all our freight from that company, and we have received no shipments of goods over that line, where we could prevent it. All of this freight which we have diverted from the Pennsy has been given to the Reading and leased lines. We use from six to seven Reading mileage books each year."

That the $10 excess deposit is a source of quite a little revenue to the Pennsylvania Railroad is illustrated by the case of B. Binswanger, of No 115 North Fourth street, who purchased a book, for which he paid $30. This book lapsed on December 14, 1904, and he neglected to send in the cover for redemption until a few weeks ago. A few days later he received a letter from the company informing him that his $10 had been forfeited by his failure to request the redemption of the book within the time limit of 18 months. In this case, which is duplicated in hundreds of instances during the year, the purchaser forfeited $10, which went into the treasury of the company.

It is also pointed out by commercial travelers that in going from place to place they often mislay their books or lose the covers before they can have them redeemed. This also occasions a loss. Another source of loss to the individual and of profit to the company lies in the fact that all unused mileage is forfeited at the expiration of 18 months, so that an individual who travels, but little cannot afford to buy a mileage book except at the risk of losing a portion of the mileage for which he has paid.

Another prominent business man, in discussing the mileage book, said: "I don't know what the law in the various states may be on the mileage book question. Laws are not always right. I maintain that when I buy a mileage book it is mine and I have the right to give it to whom I please, and any one has the right to ride on it You might as well say that if I buy a pound of coffee that I have not the right to give a cup of it away to my friends or let my family use it. It is the most tyrannical suppression of the rights of property. As it is now, if one of my salesmen becomes ill or leaves my service, and I should desire to take a run over the man's territory, I cannot make use of the mileage book for which I have paid, and which, in law, by all vested rights, is my property." All mileage books should be like those of the Reading Railroad, so that they could be used by any one.

"I hear a great deal of talk about this $10 deposit that it is a security against the book being sold to a ticket 'scalper' This is, indeed, rather extraordinary. It is not many years ago when the various railroads of the country were sending hundreds of mileage books and tickets weekly to 'scalpers' offices and paying scalpers commissions for selling them Now the railroads have gone to an unjust extreme on the other side and are imposing, to my mind, an unlawful hardship upon the traveling public."

READY FOR STRIKE.

SCRANTON, PA., JAN. 17.—A CRISIS HAS BEEN REACHED IN THE TROUBLES BETWEEN THE LACKAWANNA ROAD AND ITS FIREMEN. TODAY THE COMPANY MADE A STATEMENT PUBLIC CRITICIZING THE ALLEGED UNREASONABLE DEMANDS OF THE MEN AND THE FIREMEN RETORTED BY PRINTING THEIR GRIEVANCES. A SECRET POLL IS SAID TO HAVE SHOWN THAT 85 PER CENT. OF THE MEN ARE READY FOR A STRIKE.

LIVED

Illegally With a Man She Had Never Married.

AND WAS FINED $100 AND SENTENCED TO JAIL. MAN IN THE CASE NOW LIVES IN THIS CITY.

The following dispatch from Bryan, Ohio, will be of interest to Lima people:

Minnie Howell was fined $100 and sentenced to twenty days in the county jail by Judge Killets for having lived nearly fifteen years with Harry Kelley, although not married to him. The couple formerly lived in Edon, this county, where they opened a restaurant, and where it was thought they were legally married. They prospered and bought property. Some time ago they parted, and Kelley began action for the possession of the property at Edon, claiming that as the woman was not his wife she had no claim to it. This petition was the first intimation the public had that they had not been legally married. The woman contested the suit and won, the property then being equally divided.

She and Kelley were subsequently indicted by the grand jury. Kelley, who now lives in Lima, and has since married, was given a similar fine some time ago.

GAMBLING

CASE OF CHARLES PLOCK POSTPONED UNTIL JANUARY 26.

The case against Charles Plock, arrested for conducting gambling rooms over the Oak saloon, was this morning postponed until January 26.

KEPT HUSTLING.

The boys at the Columbia Shoe Store were kept on the jump all day yesterday. This touch of winter coming as it did along with their Pre-Inventory Sale, reminded the people of their need of winter footwear, and quite a number took advantage of the present low prices prevailing at that store.

We handle only the Jackson No. 2 vein lump coal. We are making a price of $3.75 per ton on this coal for early delivery. Hiner Coal & Supply Co.

NOTICE.

Regular meeting of the East Lima Improvement club will be held Thursday evening, January 18, at George McCauley's grocery, 930 east High street, beginning at 7.30 prompt. Let there be a good attendance as business of importance is to be transacted. By order of the club.

Clyde Williams, Secy.

Smoke the Effie Powers 5c Cigar. None better.

SERVANT GIRLS ORGANIZE.

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 17.—The servant girls of this city have organized a union. They have elected officers and say they will demand higher wages and endeavor to have the child labor law inforced. An effort will be made to form a state central union.

"It was almost a miracle. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible breaking out all over the body. I am very grateful." Miss Julia Filbridge, West Cornwell, Conn.

POCAHONTAS NOTICE.

All members of Matioka Council are requested to meet with Mrs. Risser, 254 Spencerville Road, this evening, Jan. 17, to inspect costumes.

By order of Pocahontas.

Golden State Limited

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California

¶ Daily from Chicago and from St. Louis, evening departures.
¶ Its time is many minutes quicker than last year.
¶ It carries Uncle Sam's mail—dependable service.
¶ Exclusively Pullman accommodations of up-to-the-minute pattern.
¶ Over most southerly and shortest of all routes—thru lowest altitudes.
¶ Books of train, trip and of California from

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THERE'S NOTHING BETTER THAN THE San Felice CIGAR.

A Trial will Win Your Good Graces.

Five Cents

AT ALL DEALERS.

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MAKERS.

Smoke the Effie Powers 5c Cigar. None better.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES.

The evangelistic services still continue at Calvary Reformed church on east High street and still continue good. Last evening Rev J. J. Gruber preached a splendid sermon and will preach again tonight. The general public most cordially invited.

LIVE WIRES

Encircled the Train When It Almost Ran Into Felled Poles.

But for the watchful eye of Engineer Werlitz, who was in the cab of Train No. 41 on the C, H. and D. Railroad, a serious wreck would have occurred during the storm Monday night at Jones Switch, five miles north of Hamilton, on the Indianapolis division.

A telephone pole had blown across the track, and Werlitz discovered it just in the nick of time. He stopped the train, but not before it had bumped the pole and pulled down half a dozen other poles, enveloping the entire train in a network of live wires. The electric sparks caused a panic on board the train, and it took the crew nearly an hour to clear the track so the train could proceed. A corps of workmen was sent from Cincinnati on a special engine, and they worked all night repairing the wires and replacing the poles.

Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema, or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Doan's Ointment cures. Can't harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Citizens of Lima and Allen County:—Who sympathize with the people of Russia in their effort to gain more liberty, and with those in that country who are suffering, caused by the cruelty and oppression of the ruling classes, are invited to meet at the assembly room in the court house on Saturday, January 20, at 8 o'clock p. m., to express their sympathy and devise ways and means of assisting such suffering and appressed people. All will have a chance to express their opinion on the subject.

By request of the Theo. Philanthropic Society, of Lima, Ohio.

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Cures it in a few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

LAUNDRY ASSIGNS.

Ray M. Killian, proprietor of the Lima Steam Laundry, made an assignment yesterday for the benefit of his creditors and E. S. Yoakum was named as assignee, giving a bond of $1,000. Mr. Killian's assets include his laundry on west Wayne street and a residence property. His liabilities will doubtless be considerable in excess of the amount which can be realized on the sale of these holdings.

RESOLUTIONS IN MEMORY OF LOUIS E. PROVO.

Whereas, we bow in humble submission to the will of the Ruler and Father of the Great Universe in His infinite wisdom in calling from our midst our loving brother, Louis E. Provo, to his Eternal Home and rest. Local Barber Union, No. 58, Lima, O., in this sad hour of bereavement loses a faithful member and a kind brother.

Resolved, that a copy of this be sent to the home of our departed brother and a copy be spread on the minutes of our meeting; also a copy be published in the daily papers and our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Chas. Martz, R. A. Walton, L. C. Smith. Committee.

Local Barber's Union, No. 53, Lima, Ohio.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17

Fred Raymond's Famous Comedy

"The Missouri Girl"

1000 LONG LAUGHS

Positively the Greatest Fun-Event of the Season.

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A great cast including MISS SADIE RAYMOND as "Daisy" and MR. FRANK F. FARRELL, as "Zeke."

If you have never seen 'The Missouri Girl," ask your friends who have.

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MEETING

Of the Lima Progressive Association

WILL BE HELD TOMORROW NIGHT TO CONSIDER A PROPOSITION FOR THE LOCATION OF A WATCH WORKS IN LIMA.

THE LIMA PROGRESSIVE ASSOCIATION HAS ISSUED A CALL FOR A MEETING AT THEIR HEADQUARTERS IN THE MASONIC BLOCK TOMORROW EVENING AT 7:30 O'CLOCK. THE OBJECT OF THE MEETING IS TO CONSIDER A PROPOSITION FROM A WATCH CONCERN TO LOCATE IN THIS CITY. THE PROPOSITION IS ONE OF THE MOST LIBERAL YET RECEIVED AND A LARGE ATTENDANCE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION IS REQUESTED.

If we can sell you one ton of the grade of Jackson coal that we handle, we will make a regular customer of you. We are selling No. 2 Vein Jackson lump at $3.75 per ton—a special price to get you to use good coal once, as you can see the difference. Hiner Coal & Supply Co.

FORMER

Lima Railroad Man Struck By the

FLYER ON PANHANDLE RAILROAD AT PIQUA AND HIS SON INSTANTLY KILLED.

John Manning, formerly of this city, at one time employed on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad as conductor and at a later date bartender at Eli Brentlinger's place, while driving across the tracks of the Panhandle railroad at Piqua, was struck by the Flyer and both instantly killed.

POINTED

A Revolver at an Officer and His Wife

WM. ROBINSON, OF NORTH MAIN STREET, WAS IN AN UGLY FRAME OF MIND LAST NIGHT.

Mrs William Robinson, wife of the north Main street saloon keeper, called at the police station last night and charged that her husband had abused her. Officer Forshe accompanied her to their home, but was met at the door by the husband with a revolver. He threatened them and they left. Later Robinson was arrested, charged with pointing a revolver at the officer. He was arraigned before Mayor Robb this morning, pleaded not guilty and will have a hearing at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

TO PURIFY BUCYRUS.

Bucyrus, Ohio, Jan 17.—Mayor Valentine has issued orders to the police to inforce all laws and ordinances, especially those pertaining to morality, beginning Saturday. The Mayor will comply with Governor Pattison's instructions

Davis Brothers give an entertainment Thursday evening, Jan 18, corner Main and High streets in Eagle Hall Come and hear the great ventriloquists and imitators Doors open 7:30 Everybody welcome

After Eating
The Chuloos chew
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(The Gum that Helps the Stomach.)
It prevents indigestion.
Be a Chuloo.

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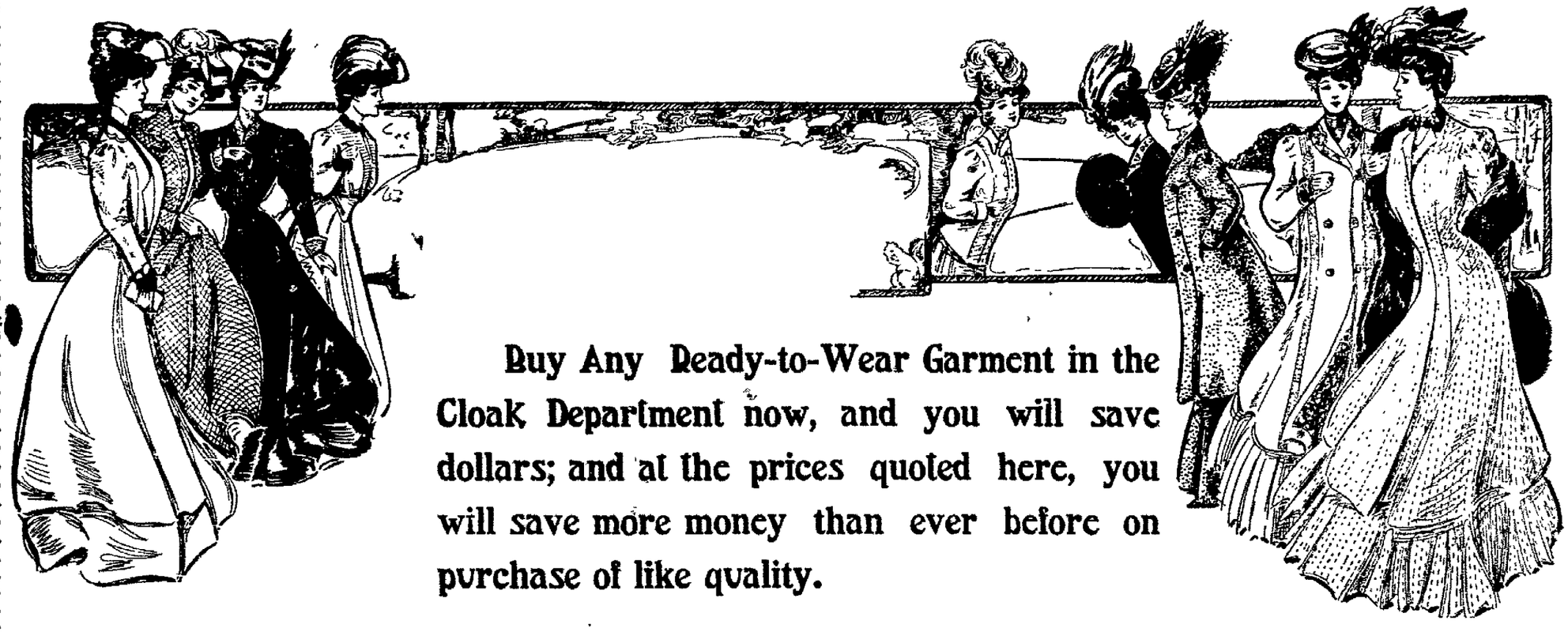

Buy Any Ready-to-Wear Garment in the Cloak Department now, and you will save dollars; and at the prices quoted here, you will save more money than ever before on purchase of like quality.

A Chance For All Who Have Been Waiting!

Nothing has been bought here for sale purposes, every article in the stock is dependable and you get your money's worth abundantly.

Cloth Coats for Ladies, Misses and Children.

All our colored coats are offered at one-half price.

Diagonal cloth coats, 50 inches long, lined body and sleeves, fitted backs and loose backs, were good values at $18.50.

Now $9.25

Tan kersey coats with full, loose back, wide strap down back, semblance collar, full sleeve with cuff. Special at $11.50.

Now $5.75

All black cloth coats of broadcloth kersey or cheviot.

1-3 less than regular price

Tight fitting cheviot coats, of "Wooltex" make, was $12.50.

Now $8.34

Tight fitting broadcloth coat of "Wooltex" make, was a special at $16.50.

Now $11.00

Loose back broadcloth coats, 50 inches long and full satin lined, were $25.00

Now $16.67

All evening coats of cream, blue, green, etc, at

1-2 regular price

All "Wooltex" children's coats that range in price from $6.00 to $18.00 are

now 1-2 price

All fur lined coats that have ranged in price from $22.50 to $65.00 are now

1-3 less than regular price

All storm coats that range in price from $7.50 to $23.00 and some are models shown for spring, are

1-3 less than regular price

$2.69 Skirts Of Walking Length

These are our regular stock skirts that have ranged in price from $3.75 to $5.75; they come in black and colors, with bands from 23 to 36 inches length from 37 to 43 inches.

Closing price $2.69

$4.95 Skirts Of Walking Length

These are skirts that are good values today at $7.50; not a garment in the lot worth less than $6.00; mannish cloths, cheviots, broadcloths, serges and fancy mixtures, all lengths.

Closing Price $4.95

$6.98

Many of these skirts were over $12.50, some were $15.00, not one was offered at regular price for less than $10.00; all the popular cloths and colors, large bands, and extra lengths.

Closing Price $6.98

LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS

Our phenomenal suit season is attributed to the style, quality and workmanship of our offerings; our low prices for dependable wear have never been questioned.

Jacket suits, blouse suits, long coat suits of broadcloth, cheviot, panama, fancy checks, etc.

All 1-3 less than regular price

One lot of suits of cloth and velvet, the regular prices ranging from $12.50 to $22.00, consisting of blouse, 24 inch coat, long coats, etc. Some were early season purchases and some were fall suits; to make a quick clearance we offer any suit in the lot at

Closing Price $7.69

All alterations on special price garments will be charged for.

REMNANTS

Lots of lace curtains--2 and 3 pair lots--Swiss, Nottingham, Oluny--nets of all description--some 78c that are $1.00 value, $3.98 for $5.00 value, $9.98 for $15.00 value.

1 pair lots at 1-2 regular price

Remnants of linens--of white goods--of wool goods--of wash goods--embroideries, silks, etc., that are bound to accumulate after such a season as we have enjoyed, will be offered for quick clearance at

1-3 and 1-2 less than regular price

Our fur sales this season have been most satisfactory. We have all sizes here to 44 bust but not in all kinds--but note the saving.

Our electric seal coats that are of choice skins, have full revers--deep collar and cuff, like qualities priced by others at $35.00, are

Now $20

Beaver trimmed electric seal coats that have been priced by others at $45, are

Now $28.35

Electric seal blouses trimmed with mink or beaver, sable squirrel blouses, near seal blouses, all at prices

1-3 less than regular

All fur scarfs that were $1.75 to $2.25 are in a lot

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Fur scarfs that ranged in price from $2.50 to $3.25 and including river mink, opossum, 3-skin coney and hare, are in a lot

Now $1.48

Fur scarfs that were priced to $6.00 including throws and scarfs of S. A. Beaver romonas, clusters and ties, in a lot to close

Now $2.48

All other scarfs, muffs and set of mink chinchilla, ermine, marten, etc.

1-3 less than regular

Genuine marten sets that range in price from $20.00 to $45.00, Jap mink sets with down bed pelton muffs range from $32.30 to $60.00

Chinchilla sets with down pillow muffs and handsome scarfs, was $90.00.

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All children's and misses' fur sets,

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